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OUTLINES.

The jury in the case of Mrs. Annie M. Bradley, charged with the murder of former Senator Brown, was unable to agree after five hours deliberations and was locked up for the night——Both branches of the Sixtieth Congress assembled in Washington and after organizing, adjourned out of respect to members who had died during the recess——Benjamin J. Lightfoot of Americus, Ga., will die as the result of an assault on him by Marion Sims with a billiard cue——In the hearing of the case of the United States against the American Tobacco Co., at New York, Vice President Hill stated that any jobber could get their goods direct except in New York City.——Tommy Burns of America wins title of heavyweight champion of the World by knocking out Gunner Moir in the tenth round at London.——Forty-seven miners were probably killed by the explosion Sunday night in the Naomi mine at Fayette City, Pa.——Trial of Harry K. Thaw for the murder of Stanford White will commence January 6th.——New York markets: money on call firm, ruling rate 12 per cent; closed at 4 per cent; Flour steady with a slightly better demand. wheat, spot easy; corn, spot firm; rosin steady, turpentine quiet at 49; all grades of refined sugar were reduced 5 cents a hundred; cotton, spot steady, middling uplands 11.80, middling gulf 12.05.

Confidence, credit and currency—the three C's that control the financial world.

Here's to the new Congress—more backbone and less jawbone, please. No objection to the funnybone.

The demand for total aridness in Florida is so strong that the Governor now wants to drain the Everglades.

Raleigh will vote on Prohibition December 26th. What's the use? The boys will all "swear off" January 1st.

The Bradley trial has added absolutely nothing to the reputation of the Western people who elected Brown a Senator.

When Congress met yesterday Rhode Island was represented by only one Senator, but there is no telling whether he represents a little state or a big trust.

Once he was an honored teamster in his home town, but now Mr. D. C. Moon has become general manager of a great railroad in the West. How have the mighty fallen.

In a recent fire in New York sixty dogs, valued at $60,000 were destroyed. Never-the-less there are now about six million at large and their total worth is about thirty cents.

Will some scietist inform us when, where and how the term "blind tiger" originated? We see where the "blind" comes in, but what's the "tiger" got to do with it?

Ten-dollar gold pieces will be accepted at this office in payment of subscriptions. Never mind the motto. The trouble with us is "we trust" our subscribers too long.

We have nothing to add to what our paragraphic contemporaries have said about the announcement of a scientist that "Mars is drying up" except that prohibition seems to be roosting high.

Mr. T. W. Clawson has retired from the editorial staff of The Morning Star and is succeeded by Mr. A. H. Gilmore, who for six years past has been doing newspaper work in Virginia.

The Evening Dispatch has been enlarged from a six-page to an eight-page paper. With a more comprehensive telegraph service and an increase in reading matter it presents a most creditable appearance.

A correspondent of the Philadelphia Ledger writes: "Will some one kindly tell us what boys can do at night-" We don't know how it is in Philadelphia, but what boys can do at night down this way is "a plenty."

With Dad Roosevelt throwing coins at "heads and tails" he has no kick coming when his favorite son, Kirmet, is picked up in some back street for shooting craps. However, being of Royal blood he will probably commence by taking a few rounds at cotton futures and wind up at a poker table.

Here are three Democrats either of whom could carry his own State if nominated for President: George Gray, of Delaware; John A. Johnson, of Minnesota; William J. Gaynor, of New York. Could Mr. Bryan carry Nebraska? Could he carry New York? And have the Democrats any hope of success without the electoral vote of New York?

COUNTY'S NEW YEAR

Regular Monthly Meeting of Board of Commissioners Held Yesterday.

REORGANIZATION FOR TERM

Chairman McEachern Re-Elected and Bonds of Officers Renewed—Many Taxation Matters. Monthly Reports.

Yesterday marked the beginning of the new fiscal year of the county and the regular monthly meeting of the Board of Commissioners was largely taken up with reorganization for the new term, the approval of renewals of bonds of all county officers and the hearing of the usual annual reports.

All members of the Board were present, viz: Chairman McEachern and Messrs. Wm. F. Robertson, M. W. Divine, H. L. Vollers and W. F. Alexander. Before the reorganization of the Board the annual reports of the Chairman, County Treasurer Green and Clerk of the Superior Court were submitted and referred to the Finance Committee.

The Board then reorganized by the unanimous re-election of Chairman D. McEachern at the same salary as heretofore, viz: $100 per month, Commissioner Robertson being in the chair. Chairman McEachern thanked the Board for the confidence reposed in him and pledged his best efforts in the interest of the county.

A large number of taxation matters were first considered, poll taxes being abated in the following instances, the applicants being under age, viz: H. B. Williams, C. M. Ward, A. Dosher, Wesley Boyd, Henry Thomas, Richard Jordan, Bishop D. Wood, Isaac Burgwyn, B. Wright, Ben Henrring, Sam Boyd, Everett Bryan, F. Lewis; on account of being over age, Jack Simmons; resident of Brunswick county, S. Patrick. Several others were allowed to list their taxes without going on the delinquent list.

Bellamy & Bellamy, county attorneys, reported the collection of $183.86 back taxes during the month.

Upon recommendation of the Road Committee, the route as advocated by Messrs. Lineker and Schnibben, was adopted as the county road from the Castle Haynes thoroughfare to Wrightsboro station.

Application of F. L. Huggins for right of way across certain county lands was referred to the Board as a committee of the whole with power to act.

The superintendent of health reported one case of typhoid fever and two cases of diphtheria during the month. Three cases of pneumonia, one of pleurisy and several cases of chills and fever occurred in the camp in the early part of the month but the sanitary conditions of all institutions are good. Eighty-two patients were treated in the office and eight cases were visited at their homes during the month. One case of dumb rabies was reported.

The Board as required by Section 308 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, carefully examined renewals of the bonds of Colonel John D. Taylor, clerk of the Superior Court; H. McL. Green, County Treasurer; S. P. Cowan, Sheriff; Dr. C. D. Bell, Coroner; John Haar, Register of Deeds, and W. B. Savage, Constable of Wilmington Township, and find that the security on none of the bonds has been impaired and have, from no cause become insufficient to cover the amount of money or property or to secure the faithful performance of the duties of their several offices.

Road Superintendent Herbert Hocutt reported Purvines Creek bridge completed, the Castle Haynes road repaired and the work on the Masonboro road now in progress. The superintendent reported the collection of $205 for road tax in Harnett township.

Superintendent J. R. Hardee reported two white and eleven colored patients in the County Home during the month and 15 colored and two white convicts during November. Two mules were transferred from the county roads department to the County Home.

Bids for repairing bridge over Macomber's ditch were opened from C. S. Riggs, J. H. Burriss and Silvia & Camanche. All were referred to the committee on roads and bridges.

Application of W. R. Sullivan, assistant to the president of the Atlantic Coast Line, asking for exemption from poll tax on the ground that he is a resident of Georgia, was referred to the County Attorney with the information that tax receipt for payment of tax in Georgia must be presented as had been the ruling of the Board on other similar applications.

The register of deeds reported $47.50 in fees from marriage licenses during the month.

Tax against J. A. Perry on Farm 75 at Castle Haynes was abated, same having been listed by the Carolina Real Estate Trust Co. The county's portion of tax paid by M. S. Willard erroneously listed on $3,000 valuation of property, was abated. Action upon application of Wm. Goodman in regard to taxes paid twice by himself and by B. C. Stokes was taken up on recommendation of the committee, allowing an abatement of two of the six years taxes claimed, Stokes not hav-

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT

One Week Term for Trial of Civil Causes Convened Yesterday. Hearing of Motion in Seduction Case.

New Hanover Superior Court for the trial of civil cases, Judge J. Crawford Biggs, presiding, convened yesterday morning at 10 o'clock and will remain in session one week unless the business of the term is sooner disposed of. Yesterday no cases of interest came up for trial and a recess for the day was taken at 11:30 A. M., until 9:30 o'clock this morning.

When court convened Sheriff Cowan returned the following jurors summoned for the week: M. Rosenmann, R. F. Fowler, L. Southerland, R. J. Casteen, C. R. Pape, J. D. Brown, W. S Clayton, J. T. Hill, T. J. McInerny, J. E. Winstead, T. B. Cowan, Wm. Flanagan, Adolph L. Goodman, W. H. Yopp, Jas. Winberg and Fulton T. Allen. Excused by the court, R. F. Fowler.

The following cases were disposed of: Armstrong Cator & Co., against Wilmington Seacost Railroad, after having introduced several witnesses, Woodus Kellum, Esq., counsel for plaintiff, took a non suit. Pittsburg Lumber Co., against Z P. Rowe, continued by consent. W. A. Davis against Vance Cottle, appeal dismissed, judgment of justice affirmed. F. W. Stock & Son against Murchison National Bank, continued. J. G. Foreman against Consolidated Company, and Richard Dammon against Atlantic Coast Line, continued.

Judgment was given in cases of Chadbourn Sash Door and Lumber Co., against I. Shrier; Kitson Hydro Carbonic Co., against John R. Turrentine, Jr., and Gaston D. Phares & Co., against Mrs. S. Siegler, Jr.

Today the cases set for trial are: J. & E. Mahoney against J. H. Woebse; Wilmington Furniture Company against W. T. Mercer and E. S. Hancock; The Building and Lumber Co., Incorporated, against the Atlantic Coast Line and seven penalty suits, brought by Sternberger Brothers against the Coast Line. In the latter cases L. V. Grady, Esq., appears for the plaintiffs and Davis & Davis for the railroad company.

In the afternoon Judge Biggs at 3 o'clock heard a motion by Messrs. Bellamy & Bellamy and Herbert McClammy, attorneys for the defendant, to reduce the $10,000 bond under which Capt. S. E. Jones is held in jail as the result of a civil proceeding brought against him by Mr. James Hewitt for damages growing out of a civil indictment for seduction. Hon. Jno. D. Bellamy and Messrs. Gafford & Gafford appeared for the plaintiff and resisted the motion the question at issue being to show the defendant's ability to give bond in the amount named. defendants attorneys claiming that $10,000 is excessive and the plaintiff's attorneys contending that he is a man of means and the amount is not unreasonable. Judge Biggs continued the hearing to 12:30 this afternoon, the attorneys in the meantime to present affidavits as to the defendant's ability to give bond.

COLONIAL CHANGES HANDS.

Messrs. VanDuzen Brothers Lessees With Mr. Boyett Manager.

On yesterday Messrs. VanDuzen Brothers, proprietors of the Crystal Palace on Second Street, took over under lease the Colonial Inn, Third and Market streets, and will conduct the same in the future with Mr. J. A. Boyett, formerly with the Seashore Hotel, as manager. The hotel is brand new and will be improved and made a first-class hostelry in every respect. Mr. Boyett is now proprietor of the Wilmington Cafe, in the Garrell Building, but will continue this busines also. He is a man of wide experience and during the past Summer had charge of one of the leading resort hotels in Western North Carolina. The Colonial promises to do well under the new management.

HIS LEG BROKEN

Clerk at McEachern's Feed Store Injured by Falling Hay.

Young Mr. Walter C. Davis, a clerk at the feed store of John S. McEachern Sons, on Market street, suffered a painful fracture of the leg just below the knee as the result of a bale of hay falling on him at the store yesterday afternoon. A colored man at work at the pile of hay was also slightly hurt. Young Mr. Davis was removed to the home of his father, Mr. James Davis, No. 209 North Seventh street, where Dr. W. J. H. Bellamy gave him the needed attention. He will be laid up several weeks in consequence of his injury.

Wilmington Welcomes Him.

Wilmington is pleased to welcome as a resident and practitioner, Dr. J. G. Murphy, of Kenansville, specialist in diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat. He has recently completed the full course of study and practice in Baltimore and has opened offices in the Southern Building. Before taking the specialty Dr. Murphy was a leading physician of Duplin county, located at Kenansville. He graduated at the University in 1898, took two years in medicine there and was then elected professor of Physics at the University of Louisville where he completed his medical education, receiving the degree of M. D. He is well equipped for the practice of his specialty in medicine and Wilmington is pleased to have him here.

THE PYTHIAN HOSTS

District Meeting Here Last Night in Every Way A Complete Success.

THE VISITORS ENTERTAINED

Oyster Roast on the Sound With Dinner at Cafe—Address by Hon. Geo. C. Cabell, of Virginia. Other Features.

The meeting of the thirteen lodges of the First District, Knights of Pythis, Domain of North Carolina, in this city last evening, was a delightful success in every particular and was perhaps more largely attended than any previous district meeting in the history of the order in this section of Eastern Carolina. There were fully a hundred delegates from the nine lodges outside of Wilmington with several distinguished Pythians from this and other States, notably Grand Chancellor W. C. Crist, of Winston-Salem, and Supreme Representative George C. Cabell, of Virginia, the speaker of the evening.

The visitors began to arrive yesterday morning and by the time the afternoon trains were in the delegation from outside the city numbered fully a hundred. Hon. George C. Cabell arrived from Raleigh where on Sunday he delivered the annual address at the Elks' Memorial Service, and is the guest of Supreme Master of Exchequer T. D. Meares, of this city. Grand Chancellor W. C. Crist arrived from his home at Winston and was the guest of State Deputy Grand Grand Chancellor J. D. Nutt. At 4 o'clock the visitors were taken on one of the large suburban cars of the Consolidated Company for a jaunt to the Sound and beach where those who desired were served with an old-fashionede oyster roast. The party reached the city on the return about 6 o'clock and were served an elegant dinner at the Wilmington Cafe, Second and Princess streets, covers having been laid for more than a hundred. The tables were very attractively decorated with pink and white chrysanthemums, while the walls and ledges were appropriately draped with bamboo, smilax, etc., making the luncheon altogether one of the most elaborate ever served at a down town cafe. An elegant menu tempted the palate of the large number of visiting as well as a large number of Wilmington Knights, and immediately after the dining, the party repaired to Castle Hall, third floor of the Murchison National Bank building where the district meeting proper was called to order shortly after 8 o'clock by the chancellor commander of Stonewall Lodge No. 1.

The regular order of buisness as prescribed by the ritual was proceeded with until "Good of the Order" was reached and then District Deputy L. B. Rogers took charge and presided during the remainder of the session. He made a most excellent presiding officer and in assuming the chair, made a neat little address concluding by assigning the district convention officers as follows: Chancellor Commander, Walker Taylor; Vice Chancellor, Bruce Boney; Prelate, D. B. Sinclair; Master at Arms, S. G. Wooten; Master of Finance, George P. Jordan; Master of Exchequer, W. H. Fussell,; Keeper of Records and Seals, Alex S. Holden; Inner Guard, A. Bartholomew; Outer Guard, A. Gonser.

The address of welcome in behalf of the four Pythian lodges of Wilmington was made by F. W. Bonitz, Esq., of the Wilmington bar, and it was both pleasing and eloquent. The response was by Mr. George P. Jordan, of Burgaw, who was none the less happy in his choice of words and phrases to express the pleasure of the visiting Knights at being present in the hospitable city of Wilmington. Then followed reports from lodge deputies and the introduction of the orator of the occasion by Supreme Master of Exchequer Meares. This was in exceedingly graceful speech and the response was an address that the Pythians of any domain are seldom privileged to hear. Supreme Representative Cabell is an orator of the first rank and his address last evening along the lines of brotherly love and the principles which inspire Pythianism was a gem of eloquence and a most able exposition of the tenets of the order. He was listened to with undivided interest and the enthusiastic applause which he received was but a faint evidence of the appreciation of his hearers.

Grand Chancellor Crist was next introduced and spoke with enthusiasm upon the slogan "Ten Thousand," his hearers being strongly impressed with his ability as presiding officer of the fraternity in North Carolina and his devotion to the cause. The Grand Chancellor was followed by impromptu responses from Grand Lodge officers present, State Deputy Grand Chancellor Nutt, Past Chancellors Wm. F. Robertson, John Haar and others.

Greetings were read from Supreme Chancellor Chas. A. Barnes, Grand Master of Exchequer Jno. C. Mills; Supreme Representative T. S. Franklin; Grand Outer Guard W. G. Lake and Supreme Representative J. L. Scott, Jr. It was regretted that these other prominent Pythians could not be present.

A stenographic report of the proceedings was made by Mr. Herbert Hill Ford, of this city, for the official organ in this State, the Carolina Pythian, of Charlotte.

After the close of the meeting the visiting Pythians were entertained at a theater party at the Crystal Palace, near Second and Princess streets, where a special performance was given. The visitors return to their homes today. The lodges represented were the four in Wilmington, Clarkton, Chadbourn, Whiteville, Southport, Councill, Loyal, Wallace, Elizabethtown and Rose Hill. It was resolved to hold the next district meeting at Wallace.

ELKS' MEMORIAL SERVICE

Exercises Sunday Were Largely Attended and Beautiful in Their Character—Fine Address by District Deputy.

It was the verdict of quite everyone who assembled in the Academy of Music Sabbath afternoon at 3:30 o'clock that the annual memorial exercises by the Wilmington Lodge of Elks this year were the prettiest and most impressive yet held in this city. The attendance was not uncomfortably large but all joined most reverently in the spirit of the hour and the memories of those who have gone beyond were most fittingly honored.

The decorations and stage settings were by Rehder, the florist, and added much to the success of the services, plants and flowers having been used in profusion and a large electric wreath at the front of the stage having been an especial feature of the exercises in calling the roll of the honored dead. These departed ones were Messrs. F. W. Foster, R. L. Gates, R. E. Zachary, E. P. Bailey, John H. Gore, Edgar J. Bear, Felix H. Kluttz, Leonard P. Aaron, John M. Wright, Leo Loeb and I. M. Bear.

The music was by a special choir composed of Mrs. James S. Longfellow, Mrs. James D. Smith, Mr. Brooke French, Mr. H. K. Holden, with Mrs. W. C. Munds accompanist. The Academy Orchestra delightfully rendered the instrumental selections. The invocation by the Rev. James Carmichael, D. D., chaplain of the lodge, in which all stood and joined in the lord's Prayer followed by a few remarks by Dr. Carmichael was one of the prettiest and most impressive portions of the ceremony.

The introduction of the orator, District Deputy S. W. Hancock, of Newbern, was by Past Exalted Ruler Walter R. Kingsbury, who was exceedingly choice in his diction, graceful and pleasing. The address by Mr. Hancock was short but eloquent and inspiring to the great Brotherhood of which he is so distinguished a representative. He was heard with the closest attention and with undivided interest.

The exercises were presided over by Exalted Ruler Joseph F. Leitner, who made a splendid presiding officer for a public occasion and directed the order of exercises with great satisfaction.

All the officers of the lodge took part in the memorial with the exception of Treasurer F. W. Dick and Esteemed Leading Knight John C. Wessell, who were unavoidably detained and were supplanted by Past Exalted Ruler I. W. Solomon and Trustee William F. Fobertson.

The Memorial Service Committee was composed of Past Exalted Rulers T. B. Carroll, C. W. Polvogt and I. W. Solomon, while the ushers were Messrs. D. R. Foster, W. O. Morris, C. F. W. Rehder, D. B. Sinclair, Clarence L. Brown and B. B. Jackson.

The annual charity collection was taken and about $60 was realized for the worthy poor of the community.

THE THEATORIUM

New Management of Popular Market Street Amusement Place.

Mr. George S. Brantley, of Charleston, S. C., with considerable experience in the amusement line in his home city, has taken charge as manager of The Theatorium, on Market street, and will make many improvements at this popular motion picture show. It will be thoroughly overhauled and renovated and brought up to the high standard of the enterprises with which Mr. Brantley has conducted elsewhere. Mr. Don. H. Gestefeld, a baritone soloist of splendid voice, has been engaged for the illustrated songs that will be an attractive feature of each performance. He was late with the Henry W. Savage opera company and comes direct to Wilmington from New York. The theatre will be open from 2 in the afternoon to11 at night.

Married Yesterday Evening.

Yesterday evening at 8:30 o'clock at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Rackley, No. 6 Delgado, Miss Helen Rackley and Mr. John A. Rivenbark were happily married in the presence of a goodly company of friends who had gathered to witness the pretty ceremony. Rev. A. J. Bordeaux officiated and after the service the bride and groom received the happiest felicitations of their many friends assembled. Both are popular young people in this city and will make their home at 412 South Fourth street where they will receive their friends.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN

Regular Monthly Meeting Held Last Night at The City Hall.

NO ACTION ON WATER WORKS

City Merely Renewed Its Offer of $140,000 for Fifteen Days—Many Routine and Unimportant Matters.

The Board of Aldermen was in session only about two hours and a half last night. The water works question was disposed of briefly by simply renewing the offer of $140,000 and declining by a vote of nine to one the proposition to arbitrate the difference between the city and company and the liquor question was not handled at all. Most of the time was taken up with routine and unimportant matters and an adjournment was reached a few minutes before half past ten o'clock.

The Board met shortly after 8 o'clock, all members being in attendance. The minutes of previous meetings were read and approved. The Mayor stated that before proceeding with the regular order of business, General Manager Skelding, of the Consolidated Company, if no objection, would be heard on a special matter. Mr. Skelding's communication was read and he explained what was wanted, viz: Permission to make a new cross over on Front, 50 feet south of Red Cross street and a siding on Castle, near Surry street. The matter was referred to the Streets and Wharves Committee with power to act.

Mr. Charles N. Evans, cashier of the Southern National Bank, was present and by permission of the Board asked for a share of the city's banking business, either in the way of deposits or loans. He referred to the Southern's ability to handle the business and upon motion, the matter was referred to the Finance Committee.

The call of standing committees was next in order and Chairman Bolles reported for that on finance. Tax erroneously paid by F. T. Mills to the amount of $80 on sales stables, was refunded on recommendation of the committee. In regard to lease of the encampment grounds on the Sound, the committee was advised that any lease or sale of the property would be illegal and it was ordered that Mr. Pembroke Jones, who desired to lease the grounds, be so informed.

Lieutenant J. B. Peschau, commanding the Naval Reserves, asked that the basement room occupied as an armory in the City Hall building be turned over exclusively to the Division so that the officers can regulate the conduct of same. The matter was referred to the Public Building Committee with power to act.

Alderman O'Brien called attention to the large amount of back taxes due and moved that the City Clerk and Treasurer be instructed to furnish the Board with a list of all delinquents since the year 1870. The motion was lost.

Chairman Ellis, of the Sanitary Committee, reported 865 feet 24-inch pipe and 160 feet of 12-inch pipe laid from the turpentine distilling plant, following the branch near Fourth and Wooster streets; also the trash cans lettered and put in service. Unsatisfactory conditions as to scavenger service in the northern part of the city was referred to the Sanitary Committee.

Chairman Rathjen made report of progress on the building now going on under the direction of the Market Committee, especially the consolidated fire and market house at Fourth and Campbell streets. The report was adopted.

Chairman Northrop of the Light Committee reported the installation of seven arc and two gas lights across the river. In regard to excessive charges for lighting at Front Street Market, the matter was referred back to the committee with power to act. Alderman Karr asked the committee for an arc light at 12th and Market and a gas lamp at Third and Brunswick streets. Upon motion of Mr. O'Brien, it was ordered that an arc lamp be placed on the hospital grounds at a place to be designated by the authorities.

Chairman O'Brien reported balances due for rent of city docks and wharves, and the City Clerk and Treasurer was directed to inform all delinquent lessees that unless balances were paid at once their leases will be cancelled.

Chairman O'Brien read several communications from the Board of Audit and Finance in regard to street work and explained the committee's action. The Board was asked to authorize the committee to complete macadam of Wood street leading toward the cemetery. The authorization was granted. The Southern Express Company was granted permission to pave the sidewalk and grounds about their new receiving warehouse at Front and Red Cross streets, leading to the Atlantic Coast Line depot.

Chairman O'Brien reported a large amount of repair work done and a number of granolithic sidewalks laid

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THE FARMER'S COTTON.

It appears that Mr. E. B. Parker, general counsel for the Southern Pacific Railroad, has discharged a blast of bottled wrath because of the alleged discovery of a Farmer's Trust. With great indignation he asserts that the farmers, particularly the Texas farmers, are now holding 500,000 bales of cotton worth $250,000,000, hence that amount of gold is prevented from coming into this country from the strong boxes of Eurpoe, simply because they will not sell.

"If it were any other trust" exclaims Mr. Parker, "than that of the farmers, the Attorney General would take action against it in less than twenty-four hours."

According to Mr. Parker the farmers of Texas are holding only 500,000 bales. This is just about 4 per cent. of the total crop of the South but it would be difficult to prove that even that small portion of the crop is under the control of a corporation, one man or a body of men. The truth is that the farmers of the South are "getting wise. They are independent citizens and there is not, and can not be any coercion to make them hold their cotton. It is the fruit of their own toil and it is their individual right to hold it or part with it. The farmer is under no more legal or moral obligation to sell it for less than he thinks it worth than he is to sell his farm, his mules or his cows. at a sacrifice.

It would suit the New England manufacturers nicely if the Southern farmers could be induced, yes, even compelled, to sell their crop at a sacrifice. They of course, would be greatly benefitted, hence it is not surprising that the Springfield, Mass., Republican and other papers in the North and East should approve of the wild talk of Mr. Parker.

It is well to remember that on more than one occasion when the price of cotton goods dropped, the New England manufacturers have stored enormous quantities of cloth in warehouses and held it there for an advance in price. In other words, they have done with their manufactured goods exactly what some of the Southern farmers are now doing with their raw cotton, yet we have heard no charge that the New England mills are a trust.

RE-FOREST THE LAND.

A Mexican company is setting a good example for the American land owners by replanting its land in trees.

Most of North Carolinas' land, once so rich in timber is fast being denuded and this without any effort at reforesting. The naval stores and saw mill business are fast converting the pine trees into money and unless something is done the day will come when timber will be as scarce in North Carolina as are the buffalo on the western plains.

From the forestry bureau of the United States Department of the Interior comes the official information that the Sierre Madre Lumber Company, operating in Sonora and Chihuahua, Mexico, 's cutting timber from land holdings that aggregate 2,564,000 acres. The cut is about one hundred and fifty million board feet annually. The tops of the trees are made into fuel, the refuse is burned, and when the ground has been cleared of inflammable material it is replanted with trees of the same species as those cut. By pursuing this method it is beyond all question that the Sierre company will always have a crop coming on, and instead of "skinning the land" once for all and abandoning it to fire and erosion, it will be made profitable for all time.

This is one of the largest re-foresting projects ever undertaken by a private company and our own lumber companies will be compelled to pursue a similar plan, or their industry will sooner or later languish and die from lack of raw material to feed upon.

It is not a little remarkable that this example of business foresight should now be set for us in the land of the one-time improvident and "reckless-greasers," but "the world moves" and often unaccountably in these days.

TO FIGHT TUBERCULOSIS.

Next year there will assemble in Washington one of the greatest conventions, or at least one of the most important, ever held in this country. This will be the International Congress on Tuberculosis, and it will be under the direct supervision of the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis. As stated the convention will be held in Washington, commencing September 21 and lasting to October 12th. Its sessions should and undoubtedly will be watched with interest.

This convention will probably not assemble again in this country within a quarter of a century and physicians as well as laymen interested in this subject will have a great opportunity. It will bring together many of the world's greatest scientists who will discuss this greatest of all plagues, which destroys more lives annually than are ever lost in war. There will be a course of lecture sand these will be open to the general public. The members of Congress are specially invited to attend.

Nearly all of the civilized countries will be represented by special delegates. The movement is one of wide interest and although this will be only the fifth Congress of its kind, already great work has been done and advancement shown in the study and knowledge of the disease. This is a work of the highest order and the convention should have the good wishes of everyone.

THE PRICE OF MEAT.

Prices on meats have declined, or more properly speaking, they have been forced down by the powers in control of the market. The fact is, these powers have simply followed the inexorable law of supply and demand in the marketing of their wares.

Even though meat is generally considered a necessity, it may be eaten in lesser quantity by the person whose appetite is regulated by his or her purse. A forced economy is often a blessing in disguise, for it is claimed by many physicians and scientists that the American people eat too much meat. Be that as it may, market men say that the general public has no idea of the extent of the decline in the sales of meat during the past few months, or since the advent of the unusually high prices.

"The non-consumption of meat," said a wholesale dealer the other day, "is alone responsible for the present and prospective reduction in prices. The cattle raisers have felt their losses of late, and have shown a tendency to reduce prices little by little, until now the consumers are beginning to feel the results. Any of the agents of the great packing companies in this city will tell you that sweeping reductions are imminent, in order that the demand for meat, which of late has dwindled radically, may be built up."

CURRENT COMMENT.

—It looks as if the rising tide for Bryan will compel the Republicans to re-nominate Roosevelt, and that the Foraker element will knife him as the Stalwarts did Blaine, and Bryan will sweep the country. Democratic prospects are brightening every day.—Webster's Weekly.

—Germany intends adopting a system by which sober people may ride in separate cars on railway trains. The wave of temperance reform may yet become an international question. How would it do to send the Only Governor as a missionary to the heathen beer drinkers of der vaterland?—Greensboro Industrial News.

—Never before has there been such an interest manifested in education than there is in Horry today. Like a contagious fever the thirst for knowledge has gone out from the towns into the country until at the present time the whole county is on fire as it were. Let the fire continue to burn more brightly.—Horry Herald.

—From Arizona comes a word of warning about sending consumptives out there without means to take care of them. The air in Arizona will not cure unaided, but it takes care, nourishment and a contented mind, as everywhere. Many die there from homesickness who have gone there to be cured of consumption.—Norfolk Landmark.

—What did J. Pierpont Morgan, the boss of Wall Street, say to the Republican boss in the White House when he visited there last week? Did the Republican boss agree to give the bankers any more millions, and if so, what per centage of the profits is to find its way into the Republican campaign fund next year?—Tarboro Daily Southerner.

—Murder trials now have gotten to the pass that they are really trials of the prisoner's sanity rather than of his guilt. There is no doubt but that insanity should play its part in murder trials, but there seems to be no reason in giving it its paramount place. The insanity defense has become such a common weapon of the lawyers on the prisoner's case that it has come to be expected.—Atlanta Journal.

—Just a year ago the cost of the New York dinner was limited, at the urgent request of the principal guest, to one dollar a plate. In Washington the other night the same guest urged no objection to partaking of a banquet which cost three dollars a head. This goes to show how much the views of Mr. Bryan have become liberalized and acquits him of the reproach of belonging to that class of the Bourbons which neither forgets nor learns. —Virginian Pilot.

Pale Delicate Women and Girls.
The Old Standard GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC, drives out malaria and builds up the system. For grown people and children, 50c.

A Zulu Chief

On being asked what pleasure he got out of life, replied:

Zala, Crala, Solem, Selum, Yanzey Strili, Fuliko, Crelo, Sanky, Lanky Creloo Cra

Now this may or may not be true. But there is no doubt but what GOWAN'S PNEUMONIA CURE does its work well and effectually. Ask your neighbor. Ask any person who has used it or heard of it being used for Coughs, Colds, Croup, anything where INFLAMMATION has set in, and this verdict is complete. The Mother who neglects to see that a bottle is always in the house is forgetting her greatest duty. Fifty cents for this external application—and no little white hearse to call at her door.

TWINKLINGS.

—Boarder—Do you subscribe for the village newspaper? Inhabitant—No, the village dressmaker boards tew our house.—Life.

—Muggins—My wife wrote to me every day while she was at the seashore. Buggins—What for? Muggins—Money.—Philadelphia Record.

Professor—This milk contains 1,234,567 bacilli to the cubic inch. Layman—Poor things! they must feel like they were in a street car.—Judge.

—McSosh—Want to know a good story to stall your wife when you get home late? DeLush—No use. I'd never get to tell it.—Cleveland Leader.

"Pa, what's an average man?" "One who has a sneaking suspicion that he has qualities which make him superior to anybody else."—Chicago Record-Herald.

—Country doctor—That's the worst case of wry neck I ever see, Peleg. How'd you get it? Peleg—Drivin' thet new mare o' mine, an' everlastin'ly lookin' behind t' see if an auto wuz comin'.—Puck.

—"I was going to give Jinks a little friendly advice this morning." "And didn't you?" "No; he started to tell me how to run my affairs, and that's something I tolerate from no man."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

—Minister (to intoxicated parishioner)—Mac, I'm very sorry to find you in this state. Mac—Are ye verra sorry? Minister—Yes Mac, I'm reallly very, very sorry! Mac—Ah, weel, if ye're really verra, cerra sorry, I'll forgie ye!—Punch.

—Secretary Taft will get the Russian vote if he comes back with the ability to pronounce "Schiensk vomsk" without whistling.—Atlanta Journal.

Here's Good Advice.

O. S. Woolever, one of the best known merchants of Le Raysville, N. Y., says: "If you are every troubled with piles, apply Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It cured me of them for good 20 years ago." Cures every sore, wound, burn or abrasion. 25c. at R. R. Bellamy's drug store.

Sound Teeth

—healthy gums, sweet breath are the result of constant use of

Meade & Baker's Carbolic Mouth Wash

You will like the after-taste —it's fragrant and pleasant.

At your druggist's, 25c, 50c, $1.00.

Hugh MacRae & Co.

SOUTHERN SECURITIES

Cotton Mill Stocks a Specialty

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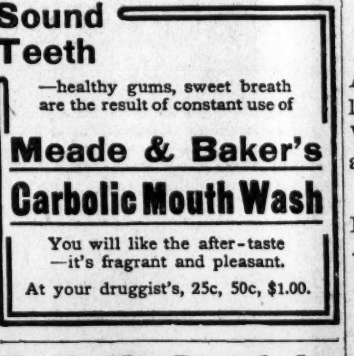
BUY YOUR SHELLS OF US AND GET THE GAME.



They have won their popularity by their superior merits. The most successful shots use them. For Game or Trap Shooting they have no equal.

Savory one-pieced roasters. Every housekeeper wants one of these. Elegant self-basting ROASTERS.

See window display.

N. JACOBI HARDWARE CO.

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A Gift Worth While

The money spent for trinkets by the average family at Christmas time would buy an Edison Phonograph. The trinkets last about as long as Christmas does. The Edison Phonograph affords enjoyment day after day and year after year. The trinkets please only the individual recipients. The Edison Phonograph offers a continuous round of pleasure for the whole family.

It is the greatest music-maker of the age. It brings into the home circle all of the world's music, rendering with wonderful faithfulness whatever song, instrumental piece, or orchestral selection is desired.

Make this Christmas the merriest of all by having for its chief feature an.

EDISON PHONOGRAPH.

December Records now on sale.

J. W. ROBINSON & CO.
205 PRINCESS STREET.
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Medium Size
F. F. V.
HAMS

J. Hargrove Taylor
131 MARKET ST. GROCER.
no 22-tf Phone 1052.

Schedule Steamer Atlantic

Effective September 1st.

Until further notice, Steamer Atlantic will leave Southport daily at 7:30 o'clock A. M. Leave Wilmington daily, except Sunday, at 2-30 o'clock P. M.

M. T. CRAIG,
Phone 764. General Manager.

HAMME
The Hatter and Clothier

Latest Styles and Lowest Prices. Hats from $1.00 to $5.00; Clothing from $8.00 a suit to $20.00. Gents' Furnishings a specialty.
24 North Front Street.
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ANNOUNCEMENT

By the death of my brother William A. French on the 19th of November 1907, the firm of Geo. R. French & Sons was dissolved. All persons owing the said firm will please make prompt and punctual settlement and any one having claims against said firm will please present same for settlement.

GEO. R. FRENCH,
Surviving Partner.

The undersigned will carry on the Boot and Shoe business as heretofore and under the same firm name. Thanking the public for the generous support in the past and trusting to merit the continuation of the same in the future, I am,

Very respectfully,
GEO. R. FRENCH.

no 26-1w.

Seasonable Goods

Cocoanuts, Mixed Nuts, Raisins, Apples, Etc. Bagging and Ties.

A Full Line of Heavy Groceries.

Hall & Pearsall, INC.

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GOOD SHOOTING

Depends on the Gun. If you have a good gun, you will find no fault with your shooting.

Lefever Guns are Good.

We have them in prices from $25.00 to $45.00.

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from $18.00 to $45.00 They are good too.

Winchester and U. M. C. Ammunition.

J.W. Murchison & Co

GUION & DAVIS,

Barbers and Hair Dressers.

Are still at the old stand, No. 7 South Front street, where they are prepared, as usual, to serve the public in the best style. Everything necessary to the comfort and complete satisfaction of our patrons.

MAKE HAY....

and let us Sell you a

HAY PRESS.

to be worked by horse power, making neat small bales. Bagging and Ties, are going to be in good demand and you should buy now.

Full stock Heavy Groceries.

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Is Your Nearest Drug Store.
Phone and Bicycle Make It So.

No matter where you live we are your nearest druggist. Your 'phone and our bicycle make us neighbors.

No matter how small the order we are always glad to send it up.

Our bicycle boys know this, too, and they take pride in giving you a good quick service.

We send to any part of city, get your prescription, fill and return medicine, without extra charge.

We are amply prepared in every way to do your prescription work too—our equipment is perfect—our prescriptionists are old experienced hands.

Our prices are consistent.

JAMES M. HALL, Druggist
Fifth and Castle. 'Phone 192.

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Read today's Business Locals.

TO THE BEACH

Suburban Schedule

(In Effect Sunday, Oct. 13th, 1907.)
Daily Except Sunday.

Wilmington Eastbound	LEAVE Wrightsville Westbound	Beach Westbound
7:00 A M	6:25 A M	
7:30 A M	7:55 A M	7:45 A M
8:30 A M	8:25 A M	8:15 A M
10:00 A M	9:25 A M	9:15 A M
11:30 A M	10:55 A M	10:45 A M
1:00 P M	12:25 P M	12:15 P.M
2:30 P M	1:55 P M	1:45 P M
3:00 P M	3:25 P M	3:15 P M
4:00 P M	4:25 P M	4:15 P M
5:30 P M	5:25 P M	5:15 P M
6:15 P M	6:25 P M	6:15 P M
7:00 P M	7:25 P M	7:15 P M
8:00 P M	7:55 P M	7:45 P M
9:30 P M	8:55 P M	8:45P M
11:00 P M	10:25 P M	10:15 P M
	11:25 P M	

Freight Schedule

Leave Wilmington 4:00 P. M. (daily except Sunday).

Freight received at Ninth and Orange from 3 to 4 P. M.

CAROLINA PLACE SCHEDULE

Cars will be operated between Front and Princess and Seventeenth and Market every 20 minutes. Leaving Front and Princess at 6:55 A. M. until 9:55 P. M.

Leaving Seventeenth and Market from 7:05 A. M. until 10:05 P. M. All Suburban cars will make regular stops at Delgado.

SUNDAY SCHEDULE.

Wilmington Eastbound	LEAVE Wrightsville Westbound	Beach Westbound
9:00 A M		
10:00 A M	9:55 A M	9:45 A M
11:30 A M	10:55 A M	10:45 A M
1:00 P M	12:25 P M	12:15 P M
2:30 P M	1:55 P M	1:45 P M
3:00 P M	3:25 P M	3:15 P M
4:00 P M	4:25 P M	4:15 P M
5:30 P M	5:25 P M	5:15 P M
6:15 P M	6:25 P M	6:15 P M
7:00 P M	7:25 P M	7:15 P M
8:00 P M	7:55 P M	7:15 P M
9:30 P M	8:55 P M	8:45 P M
11:00 P M	10:25 P M	10:15 P M
	11:25 P M	

Carolina Place Schedule.
(Sundays)

Leave Front and Princess streets every 20 minutes from 8:35 A. M. to 9:55 P. M.

Leave 17th and Market streets every 20 minutes from 8:45 A. M. to 10:05 P. M.

With large resources we are prepared to take care of business, new or old, upon the same liberal lines that have always characterized the management of this bank.

Depository of the U.S. Government, State of North Carolina, City of Wilmington, and several Counties.

The Murchison National Bank
of Wilmington.
nov 20 tf.

For Gentlemen of Good Taste

San Felice high grade 5c Cigar

Samuel Bear, Sr. & Sons,
Distributors
18 and 20 MARKET STREET.
WILMINGTON, N. C.

Admin.strator's Notice.

Having this day qualified as Administratrix of the estate of William J. Woodward, deceased, this is to notify all persons indebted to his estate to make immediate payment to me, and all persons to whom he was indebted to present their claims to me properly proven on or before the 15th day of November, 1908, or this notice will be plead in bar of recovery

This the 28th day of October, 1907.

Mary Jane Woodward,
Administratrix William J. Woodward. deceased.
nov 12 tu 6 w.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Having this day qualified as Administratrix of the estate of Eli H. Davis, deceased, this is to notify all persons indebted to his estate to make immediate payment to me, and all persons to whom he was indebted to present their claims to me properly proven on or before the 30th day of October, 1908, or this notice will be plead in bar of recovery.

This the 28th day of October, 1907.

NANCY E. DAVIS,
Administratix Eli H. Davis, deceased.
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THE C. W. POLVOGT COMPANY

"The Store That's Always Busy"

THE TOY DEPARTMENT

OPENING

MONDAY, NOV. 25th

The big brilliantly illuminated basement has been transformed into Fairyland for the children. Everything from the simplest play toy to the latest mechanical marvel is shown here. It is none too early to buy now and there is no better place than here.

Hobby horses, Wagons, Games, Dolls and a complete stock of Christmans goods will be found in our basement. Goods selected now will be laid aside and delivered later.

Do your Christmas shopping early. We are fully prepared throughout our entire store to fill the wants of Christmas shoppers.

Special Prices—

Will be made on our entire stock of Smyrna Rugs and Art Squares. These will make useful Christmas presents.

Southern trading stamps will be given with every cash sale. Ask for them when you make a cashpurchase.

The C. W. POLVOGT COMPANY

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Some Little Things of Interest To Buyers Who Know Real Value

A. D. BROWN'S

"The Modest Price Store"

A beautiful line of Fashionable Belts priced from 25 cents to $3.00 each.

The largest assortment of Hand Bags we have ever shown.

Narrow Windsor Ties, Back Combs, Side Combs.

Riker's Celebrated Toilet Articles, Colgate's Toilet Soaps and Talc Powders.

Sole agency Butterick Patterns, Black Cat Hosiery, American Lady Corsets, Mail orders promptly filled.

Crossett Shoes for Men, $3.50 and $4.00.
Lester Hats for Men, $3.00.

Thanksgiving Bargains

In Our LINEN DEPARTMENT

35c White and Colored Table Linen, Special, 25c a yard.

65c White Table Linen, 72 inches wide, Special, 48c a yard.

$1.00 White Table Linen, 72 inches wide, Special, 75c a yard.

Napkins fringed, full size, plain and colored, Special 48c a dozen.

Hemmed Napkins, full size, 75c value, Special, 65c a dozen.

$1.25 Plain and Fancy Linen Napkins, full size, 98c a dozen

Toys, Fireworks, Vases, and Cups and Saucers

Wholesale and Retail
WRITE FOR PRICES.

Chairs, Carts and Wagons

For Xmas Goods, Try

GEO. O. GAYLORD

Leader in Millinery.

Headlight Overalls, $1.00.
The largest line of Dolls in the State.

Advertising Pays Best in The Morning Star

A GAME IN EARNEST.

Courageous Acting Which Averted a Panic at Sea.

Captain John Theaker of the Earl of Eldon was homeward bound from Bombay with a load of cotton. A large number of passengers were on board.

About three days out the captain had good reason to believe that the cotton was smoldering. Any knowledge of such a catastrophe would cause a general panic. It was impossible to put back in the teeth of a northeast monsoon, so the commander quietly prepared for the inevitable.

The passengers, bored from lack of occupation, were amused and interested when Captain Theaker proposed to play at having a fire on board. He said that they would go through all maneuvers just as if a conflagration were taking place.

The passengers fell in with the suggestion eagerly. The boats were got ready; provisions were put in, with water, sails and compasses. The seats in the various boats were allotted, and the passengers made up bundles of the valuables they considered the most precious. Thus, quietly, but quickly, the "joke" was carried out to the full.

When all was ready the captain calmly told the players that the game was in earnest and that the ship was really on fire, with the flames making toward the powder magazine. The boats were speedily got off, and in less than an hour the explosion occurred.

The boats were 1,000 miles from land, but the weather remained fair, and in fourteen days every soul was landed in safety.—"The Still Life of the Middle Temple."

Appropriate.

Seedy Gentleman (to butcher)—You say you have cuts to suit all purses. What sort of a cut have you for an empty purse? Butcher (running him out)—The cold shoulder, to be sure.

PROHIBITION.

The Question Viewed From an Economic Standpoint.
(Communicated.)

This question of prohibition is, as has been said in the press of our city, one which can be viewed from a moral, a financial or an economical standpoint. The two last named are closely allied. I will in this article leave the moral question alone and address myself only to the economical question.

Let us see how our city and the public schools would fare were prohibition to carry. The laws of this State prohibit any city, unless allowed by its charter, to levy a tax for general purposes greater than a dollar on the hundred dollars worth of property. Wilmington is not one of the cities which is excepted from this law. Already the city is levying taxes to the full amount of the limit (and there are some lawyers who think that the present levy is ten cents above the legal limit.)

The liquor men of all classes in our city pay to the City, State and County above seventy-five thousand dollars a year on their business. The city schools get above twelve thousand dollars a year out of this sum. Any member of the school boards will tell you that the school fund is now very short, that the schools can barely be kept running now with the receipts obtainable. The balance of the taxes from the liquor business goes to the support of the State and County. Close the saloons and where is the money to come from to make up the deficit in tax receipts. As I said above, the city is levying up to the full limit of the law. There can be no increased valuation on real estate for taxation for four years to come. How are you going to make up the deficit that is bound to come in the next four years when this seventy-five thousand dollars is deducted from the tax income of City, State and county? There will be a heavy deficit during these years, and then there will be a tremendous increase in taxes to pay up the past deficit and to meet current expenses. Are the tax-payers willing to shoulder this burden? That is a question each one of our citizens and property owners should carefully consider before voting to wipe out this assured source of annual revenue to the City, county and State. If this source of revenue is withdrawn, how long will the public schools be able to keep open is another question those of our people who are interested in public education should ask themselves.

FOLLY OF PROHIBITION

What Eminent Men Say.

Thomas Jefferson.

"Our legislators are not sufficiently apprised of the rightful limits of their power; that their true office is to declare and enforce only our natural rights and duties, and take none of them from us. No man has a natural right to commit aggression on the equal rights of another; and this is all from which the law ought to restrain him; every man is under the natural duty of contributing to the necessities of society, and this is all the laws ought to enforce on him; and no man having a natural right to be the judge between himself and another, it is his natural duty to submit to the umpirage of an impartial third. When the laws have declared and enforced all this, they have fulfilled their functions, and the idea is quite unfounded that on entering into society we give up any natural right."

Abraham Lincoln.

"Prohibition will work great injury to the cause of temperance. It is a species of intemperance within itself, for it goes beyond the bounds of reason in that it attempts to control a man's appetite by legislation, and in making crimes out of things that are not crimes. A prohibition law strikes a blow at the very principles on which our government was founded. I have always been found laboring to protect the weaker classes from the stronger, and I never can give my consent to such a law as you propose to enact. Until my tongue shall be silenced in death, I will continue to fight for the rights of men." **

HEAT

In the Right Place At the Right Time

That's it—where you want it—when you want it—and if you only knew how easy it is to carry from room to room—and how much cheery comfort you can have with a

PERFECTION Oil Heater

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You would no longer be without one. "No smoke—no smell"—this is the *Perfection* maxim. Because the smokeless device *is* smokeless you can have direct, glowing heat from every ounce of oil. Brass font holds 4 quarts—burns 9 hours. An ornament anywhere—finished in japan and nickel. Every heater warranted.

The **Rayo** Lamp will give added pleasure to your magazine or paper—it gives a brilliant, steady light. Equipped with the latest improved central draft burner. Made of brass, nickel plated. Every lamp warranted.

Write our nearest agency for descriptive circular if you don't find the Perfection Oil Heater or Rayo Lamp at your dealer's.

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(Incorporated)

What's the Use

of paying more for an article through prejudice, than you can buy for less, that's just as good?

Take Whiskey, for Instance.

We make but one charge—just for whiskey—that's all. When you pay more than we ask for our whiskey you are being taxed for something else besides the whiskey.

Now "WHAT'S THE USE" of you paying an excess to anybody for imaginary superiority—when we have the same goods, but are content through immense volumes of sales, to break even on profits—instead of "hikeing up" the price beyond the point of giving you value received.

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PANIC PRICES!!

Our Mr. Cole has just returned from the New York market; with the ready money he applied his experience to the panicky conditions and, as a result, we are daily receiving a line of Holiday Serviceables that cannot be equalled in variety, quality and cheapness in Wilmington.

If a buyer, a prospective buyer or an admirer of pretty furniture, you are cordially invited to call and see our goods. It is a pleasure to show them.

Parlor, Hall, Library, Bed Room and Dining Room Furniture.

We have some extra specials in Rockers, Ladies' Desks, China Cabinets, Buffets, Leather Couches, Leather Chairs and Art Squares, odd dressers and Chiffoniers in Birds Eye, Mahogany and Oak.

THE WILMINGTON FURNITURE CO.
126-128 Princess Street.
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Evening Dress

¶We just received a full stock of Full Dress and Tuxedo Suits; also a full line of Dress Shirts, Collars, Ties and Gloves. Prices moderate always. Call in, we will be glad to show you through. ¶ ¶ ¶ ¶ ¶ ¶ ¶

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THE ONE PRICE CLOTHIER
Masonic Temple Building. Front Street

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As an Incentive to Save

what could be more persuasive than a pretty woman—a fiancee, for instance? Women are pretty good savers themselves, at times, and they appreciate the man who provides for future rainy days by saving when the sun shines. This is probably a hint to YOU. If you are not now saving, get the habit. Our Bank affords you every facility and offers you every inducement.

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New York for Wilmington.
S. S. Navahoe....Friday, Dec. 6, 1907.
S. S. Carib.....Friday, Dec. 13, 1907.

Wilmington to New York.
S. S. Carib.....Saturday, Dec. 7, 1907
S. S. Navahoe, Saturday, Dec. 14, 1907

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S. S. Carib.....Monday, Dec. 16, 1907

Both steamers have good passenger accommodations.

Through bills of lading and lowest through rates guaranteed to and from points in North and South Carolina.

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is Now Open for the Patronage of the Public

Board by the Day, Week or Month

Special Attention to Traveling men Rates, Reasonable.

MRS. J. B. JONES, Prop.

The Morning Star.

Tuesday, December 3, 1907.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., Dec. 3, 1907.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M. Monday, December 2:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 33 degrees 8 P. M., 45 degrees; maximum, 50 degrees; minimum, 32 degrees; mean, 41 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall for the month, .00.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M. Sunday 8 feet and falling.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Fair and warmer Tuesday, Wednesday, fair light to fresh southwest winds.

Port Calendar—Dec. 3.

Sun Rises .....6:53 A. M.
Sun Sets .....4:46 P. M.
Day's length .....9 hrs. 55 min.
High water at Southport 5:59 P. M.
High water at Wilmington 8:29 P. M.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

E. Warren & Son—Fruit Cake.
Theatorium—New Management.
Academy of Music—Professor Lee.
D. L. Gore Co.—William Tell Flour.
C. H. Fore & Co.—Suggestions for Christmas Presents.

Business Locals.

Lost—Ladies' Gold Watch.
Wanted—Salesmen for 1908.
A. Sellers—Wood in Oak and Pine.
Wanted—Adressing to Do at Home.
Bloom Brothers—Milch Cows at Auction.
Wanted—To Borrow $500 on Good Security.

ABOUT NAVAL STORES.

Financial Stringency Has Had Much to Do With Prices.

A leading naval stores factor when asked yesterday as to the market conditions said:

"The financial crisis through which we have passed, together with the heavy stock at all ports, which provoked the heavy decline in turpentine and rosins in Savannah and the Southern ports, has had a very depressing effect on our market here and values are far below those of last year.

"Owing to the general condition of affairs among the large consumers of rosins and turpentine, they are only buying from hand to mouth, expecting lower prices which are more than apt to come as a very dull season is looked for until after the election next year.

"Distillers have paid high prices for crude and no doubt will pocket a heavy loss in some cases unless they are in position to hold their spirits and rosins for many months to come. The immediate future looks anything but cheerful for the naval stores trade and nothing now would indicate any permanent advance of prices for several months. The reports in Savannah show very heavy receipts of the lower grade rosins and with the poor demand prices look to the downward."

CRYSTAL PALACE OPENING

New Amusement Place Thronged With Visitors for First Night.

In spite of the fact that some unforseen difficulties prevented the perfect success of the opening of the Crystal Palace, on Second street, last evening, there was a tremendous crowd at this new and popular place of amusement and the doors were filled all night with hundreds of people going in and out of the beautiful establishment. The electrical front attracted hundreds of persons to the street and altogether the "opening" was one of the events in the city last night.

On account of an unforseen delay the picture machine for the Crystal did not arrive and the day was only saved through the courtesy of Messrs. Howard & Wells, of the Bijou, who kindly came to the assistance of the Messrs. VanDuzen with a machine and film which will be used until the regular machine arrives. It was also impossible to put on the optical illusion last night as had been expected on account of the failure of certain apparatus to arrive, but early this week the handsome new place will be in full blast with an up-to-date vaudeville bill each afternoon and evening. The proprietors of the show much regret the disappointment and share with patrons a feeling of regret that the entire bill as announced could not be presented for the opening.

THE CHURCH CONTROVERSY

Mayor Appoints Committee to Cooperate With The Baptists.

About the only development worth while in connection with the Baptist State Convention entertainment imbroglio is the appointment last night by the Mayor of a committee to cooperate with the committee from the First Baptist Church in securing homes for the large number of visitors who are expected to begin arriving this morning. This committee is composed of Colonel Walker Taylor, Mr. H. W. Malloy and Mr. William E. Perdew. They will co-operate fully with the regular committee from the First Baptist Church and it is expected that there will be not the least trouble in entertaining all and more visitors than will be here for the convention.

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LOCAL DOTS.

—Messrs. J. W. and R. H. Dowless, of Zara, Bladen county, are in the city on a business trip.

—The monthly meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. will be held in the parlors of the building this morning at 11 o'clock.

—Mr. N. M. Cook, of Elrod, and Mr. D. C. Sinclair, of Elizabethtown, are among the business visitors in the city.

—The marriage of Mr. Asa H. Dawson,, of Philadelphia, and Miss Bessie May Gibson, daughter of Captain and Mrs. R. W. Gibson, will take place at the home of the bride's parents in this city today.

—For the convenience of his country friends, Mr. Albert Steljes is erecting a commodious cart house on the lot southeast corner of Market and Tenth streets, purchased by him last Spring.

—The alarm of fire from box 52 at 6:45 P. M. yesterday was on account of a chimney burning out on Wooster between Seventh and Eighth streets. The department had a long run for nothing.

—Rev. J. T. Johnson, the new pastor of the Second Advent Church, arrived Sunday from Jacksonville, Fla., and at night preached his first sermon to the congregation. His people did quite the handsome thing for the family by liberally stocking their pantry at their new home on South Second street.

—Superintendent of Fire Alarm John T. Yates yesterday completed the removal of the battery system from the old chemical station to the new fire station near Fourth and Dock streets. The system is in working order now and all alarms turned in from the boxes will sound true.

—The Star has received from the Southern Electric Company general electrical contractors, No. 215 Princess street, this city, a very handsome calendar for the new year. This enterprising firm has a number of holiday specialties for Christmas that are well worth while investigating.

—In pursuance of the terms of the Koonce law enacted by the last Legislature, the North Carolina flag was yesterday unfurled from the new flag pole recently erected on the Court House. The flag, as required by law, will fly from the mast as long as Superior Court is in session.

—The literary society and debating club perfected its organization at the Y. M. C. A. last night with the election of Jos. W. Little, Esq., president; W. G. W. Kraft, vice president, and J. F. Darrall, secretary and treasurer. From the interest manifested by the large number in attendance last night, the success of the society is assured.

—Hon. Clarence A. Buskirk, C. S. D., member of the Board of Lectureship of the Mother Church, the First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, will lecture at the Academy of Music on Tuesday evening, December 10th, beginning at 8:30 o'clock. Admission will be free and the Wilmington public is cordially invited.

—In the Mayor's court yesterday Jos. Stewart, George Robertson, Arthur Thomas, John Small and James A. Parker, all colored, for disorderly conduct, were fined $5 and costs and on the same charge Mary J. Scott, Hattie Pearson and Julia Murphy were sent to the farm for 30 days. The same was the portion of Blanchie Bear and Elizabeth Mitchell, colored, for vagrancy. Other cases were trifling.

COTTON AND NAVAL STORES.

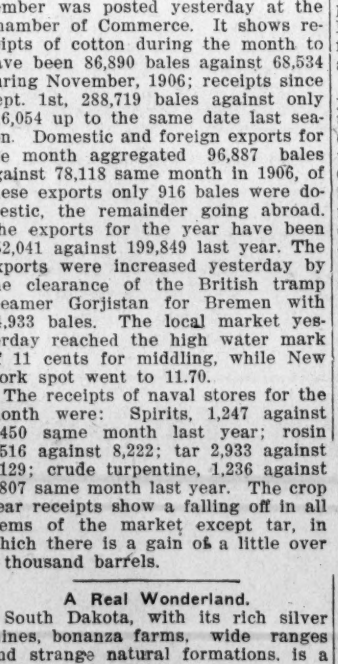
Port Statistics for the Month of November Just Ended.

The monthly stock report for November was posted yesterday at the Chamber of Commerce. It shows receipts of cotton during the month to have been 86,890 bales against 68,534 during November, 1906; receipts since Sept. 1st, 288,719 bales against only 216,054 up to the same date last season. Domestic and foreign exports for the month aggregated 96,887 bales against 78,118 same month in 1906, of these exports only 916 bales were domestic, the remainder going abroad. The exports for the year have been 252,041 against 199,849 last year. The exports were increased yesterday by the clearance of the British tramp steamer Gorjistan for Bremen with 14,933 bales. The local market yesterday reached the high water mark of 11 cents for middling, while New York spot went to 11.70.

The receipts of naval stores for the month were: Spirits, 1,247 against 1,450 same month last year; rosin 5,516 against 8,222; tar 2,933 against 2,129; crude turpentine, 1,236 against 2,807 same month last year. The crop year receipts show a falling off in all items of the market except tar, in which there is a gain of a little over a thousand barrels.

A Real Wonderland.

South Dakota, with its rich silver mines, bonanza farms, wide ranges and strange natural formations, is a veritable wonderland. At Mound City, in the home of Mrs. E. D. Clapp, a wonderful case of healing has lately occurred. Her son seemed near death with lung and throat trouble. "Exhausting coughing spells occurred every five minutes," writes Mrs. Clapp, "when I began giving Dr. King's New Discovery, the great medicine, that saved his life and completely cured him. "Guaranteed for coughs and colds, throat and lung troubles, by R. R. Bellamy, druggist, 50c. and $1.00. Trial bottle free.



COUNTY'S NEW YEAR

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ing paid for the other years.

Mr. Divine brought up the matter of the dangerous crossing over the Castle Haynes county road and it was stated that the road superintendent had taken up the matter with the Atlantic Coast Line officials, but had been told that the crossing was under the jurisdiction of the city. It was then suggested that a copy of the recent grand jury report with the proceedings of the Board in respect to the matter be transmitted to the city authorities, for any action they may desire to take. It was stated further that the danger of this crossing had for years retarded the development of that section of the county lying beyond. It was the concensus of opinion that something should be done by the railroad company to reduce the dangers to a minimum at once, as the county road was established before the line of railway was laid.

Action of the committee in awarding the contract to the Southern Hydraulic Engineering Co., of Atlanta, for a centrifugal pump to cost $809.08, f. o. b. Dayton, Ohio, was approved.

Contract for feed of live stock was awarded to the B. F. Mitchell Co., for hay and Stone & Co., for oats and corn at 58 1-2 cents for oats and 76 cents for corn.

The following jurors were drawn for the two weeks term of New Hanover Superior Court which convenes on Monday, January 26th for the trial of criminal cases only:

First Week—C. S. Grainger, A. H. Creasy, Walter G. MacRae, C. H. Alexander, G. J. Petrus, T. M. Hall, C. H. Bornemann, R. G. Rankin, E. E. Fulcher, E. A. Chadwick, J. D. Nutt, C. F. Craig, Geo. C. Jackson, W. G. A. Otersen, B. H. Stephens, J. H. Hewlett, Wm. Gregersen, Haywood Clark, A. D. Rich, W. F. Sellars, Henry Gieschen, H. M. Chase, W. G. Smith, Marshall Shrier, W. J. Mallard, W. M. Smithson, D. E. Jones, H. P. Munson, James E. Smith, J. N. Fennell, J. B. Gaskill, A. M. Hall, H. C. Prince, R. R. Stone, O. F Corbett, R. H. Screven.

Second Week—D. C. Marshall, J. R. Canady, Lee Greer, J. N. Southerland, J. H. Rehder, W. M. Maultsby, F. P. Lamb, James E. Hall, James Milan, Geo. A. Warren, W. G. Farmer, R. C. Merritt, W. S. Newkirk, L. C. Craig, C. D. Jacobs, J. S. Westbrook, Jas. A. Montgomery, B. F. Hall.

LAST QUARTERLY MEETING

Grace Church Places Testimonial to Pastor on Record.

At the last quarterly conference of Grace M. E. Church, the following were elected stewards for the ensuing conference year: Messrs. E. Borden, A. C. Craft, C. C. Covington, W. P. Cline, J. F. Garrell, D. C. Love, R. C. Merritt, M F. Allen, T. R. Orrell, W. E. Perdew, E. L. Prince, L. B. Rogers, W. B. Cooper, Wm. E. Springer, A. G. Hankins, J. B Mercer, Herbert McClammy, K W. Price, T. J. Pratt, J. W. Yates, Dr. N. M. Culbreth and Dr. D. W. Bulluck. The following resolution of appreciation of the Rev. N. M. Watson was unanimously adopted:

"By reason of our Church Government no pastor can serve at one place a longer period than four years, and while we yield with humble submission to Church Government, we deeply and sincerely deplore the fact that our beloved Pastor, Rev. N. M. Watson, has completed the full time allowed by the laws of the Church, and as a testimonial of our love and affection for him as a minister of the Gospel, a Christian gentleman, and a man of God, we pass these resolutions:

"Resolved, That the members of Grace Methodist Church deeply deplore the fact that our beloved Pastor Rev. N. M. Watson has completed the full time at Grace Methodist Church allowed by the law of the Church.

"Resolved, That during his four years here as Pastor, we have learned to love him with devotion, and sincerely grieve at losing him. We have watched with gratitude to Almighty God the masterful manner on each Sunday as he pointed us to the happiness of the great beyond, and with deep reflection listened to his discourses, that not only have been the means of elevating our thoughts and pointing us to higher and loftier ideals, but have arounsed a thoughtfulness in this community that has resulted in great good to the Christian Religion.

"Resolved, That we will miss him in the pulpit, in the home, in the Sunday School, and in ever place where good can be accomplished and Christian Charity dispensed. We will miss his wisdom, his aid, and his counsel, as by them we have been stimulated to action that has thrilled the heavenly world with strains of victory.

"Resolved, That we give him up because of the law of the Church, and congratulate the charge that is so fortunate to secure him, and commend him and his good wife to the Methodist, and to the people wherever he goes, as he is always filled with love and devotion to the cause of our ministry.

"Dated this 2nd day of December, A. D., 1907, Wilmington, North Carolina."

Howard Relief Club Officers.

At the regular meeting last night the following officers of the Howard Relief Company were nominated for the ensuing fiscal year: President, J. W. Duls; Vice President, J. W. H. Fuchs; Secretary and Treasurer, E. Schulken; Marshal, H. T. Duls; First Assistant Marshal, J. D. Doscher, Jr.; Second Assistant Marshal, H. L. Vollers; Guard, M. Brunjes. These will be installed at the annual meeting in January.

Diet for Invalids.

The White House Cook Book, practically free, with one year's subscription of the Daily Philadelphia Press, contains a department on diet for invalids which comprises a book in itself. The book and the Press have a national reputation. The value of the Daily Press, one year, and the Cook Book is $5.00; the cut rate offer for both is three dollars and fifty cents, but do not wait to place your order, the offer may be withdrawn at any time. **

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Dolls .....5 to 50c
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THAW TRIAL POSTPONED

District Attorney Didn't Want to Keep Jury Locked Up Over Holidays. Is Scheduled to Commence January 6th.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, Dec. 2.—On motion of District Attorney Jerome, the second trial of Harry K. Thaw, for the killing of Stanford White in Madison Square roof garden in June 1906, was today postponed until Monday, January 6.

A special panel of 300 talesmen will report that day for jury duty. Thaw was not brought into the court room but was allowed to stand in the corridor leading from the prisoner's room at the rear and had an unobstructed view of the proceedings. His wife, Evelyn Nesbit Thaw, was the only member of the prisoner's family present. She looked much better than she did a year ago. Her face is plump now and there is a touch of healthy color in her cheeks. She seemed in high spirits today.

The proceedings came up before Justice Dowling of the supreme court. The defendant was represented by his leading counsel, Martin W. Littleton and by Daniel O'Reilly, and A. Russell Peabody, who served throughout the first trial. Mr. Littleton opposed the delay and on behalf of the defendant demanded the right of a speedy trial.

Mr. Jerome requested the delay on account of the great difficulty that would be encountered in securing a jury with the prospect of being locked up over the holidays staring each talesman in the face. It was necessary, he said, in the interests of the public and the defendant's counsel, that the jury should be held in custoday throughout the trial.

Justice Dowling said that while he favored a speedy trial he believed time and expense would be saved by putting the case over to the first Monday in January.

AMONG FAMILIAR SCENES.

Visit to Lower Cape Fear and Recollections of Other Days.

Baltimore, Md., Nov 21st.

Editor Star: A recent visit to the lower Cape Fear, the home of my youth, was heightened by a beautiful day on the river among the scenes I love so well. The Autumn foliage, after nearly two months of dry, clear weather, was never more beautiful and the familiar landings at Kendall and Orton and at Old Brunswick revived memories of long ago associated with names and faces of which few remain to connect the steady-going old times with the present strenuous times. I was once familiar with all of the residents of the old garrison and it was painful to miss many of the pilots whose stories of the sea were so interesting to the people of my day; especially was this the case with reference to blockade times of which some of the most exciting incidents of the war were told of a traffic which is unique in history. There were nearly fifty of these men at Smithville at the end of the four years war, but now, I was told, but one remains and he is of the best, "Jim Billy Craig," as we knew him, who still pilots the cotton ships from Wilmington to the sea, one of which in blockade running times would have paid a King's ransom at a dollar a pound. The writings of the venerable Curtis, of Colonel Waddell, Mr. James Sprunt and others have done much to rescue from oblivion the important historical facts connected with this charming region, but there remains much to be done. It has been a source of keen regret that George Davis did not leave more of his inimitable records for the benefit of succeeding generations and now that the silver-tongued Waddell, to the manor born, is free from public life, it is to be hoped that he may undertake a work on the Lower Cape Fear to which his fine literary gifts would assure an abiding and delightful interest.

Vestry of St. James.

The following vestrymen of St. James' Episcopal parish were elected last night: J. V. Grainger, James I. Metts, William Calder, Wm. F. Robertson, T. O. Bunting, Anson Alligood J. H. Boatwright, J. A. Taylor, George Rountree, J. H. Hardin, J. W. Murchison, and H. C. Prince. The vestry will meet later for organization.

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BOARD OF ALDERMEN

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by property owners. It was recommended that Ninth street from Nixon to Red Cross be improved with saw dust.

Chairman Wood, of the Water Works Committee, presented the communication from the Local Board of Fire Underwriters in regard to the pumps at the Hilton station, and the same was read by Alderman Bolles. Upon motion of Alderman French, the Mayor was directed to acknowledge receipts of the communication and disclaim any ownership of the property whatever, using such language as he may deem best.

Water Works' Refusal.

Alderman Bolles read the communication from the Clarendon Water Water Works Co., declining the amended offer of $140,000 for its plant and agreeing, without waiving any rights, to arbitrate the existing differences between the city and company with respect to the ownership of the property. The Water Committee held a whispered conference after the reading of the communication, and upon the conclusion of the impromptu conference, Mr. Bolles made a motion that the clerk be instructed to write the company a letter acknowledging the receipt of their communication and stating that the city is willing to renew its offer of $140,000, the same to be accepted not later than 15 days.

Mr. O'Brien did not know what was to be gained by this motion as it was well konwn the company would not take $140,000 for the plant. He thought arbitration was the proper manner of settling the matter. No member of the board could undertake to say what the property is worth and the estimate of the citizens' committee could be taken as a basis for these further considerations. Mr. O'Brien moved that the city arbitrate the question as suggested in the communication. There was no second to Mr. O'Brien's motion. Mr. Wood said that the committee would not agree to recommend arbitration and he favored turning the matter over to the Water and Sewerage Committee to proceed with building a new plant.

The motion of Mr. Bolles renewing the proposition of $140,000 for fifteen days was carried, Mr. O'Brien alone voting in the negative.

The Swift Fertilizer Works asked for the services of the fire boatin case of an emergency, the service to be paid for in case it is needed. The matter was referred to the committee with power to act, after conference with the Local Board of Fire Underwriters.

Upon recommendation of the committee through Chairman French, the resignations of Firemen O. L. Wells, H. J. Hobbs and G. W. Capps were accepted and substitutes J. E. Haar, A. L. Howard and J. F. Hart were elected in their stead.

An appropriation was made to cover the building of a retaining wall back of the consolidated fire house on Fourth near Dock street.

Chairman King, of the Ordinance Committee, offered a regulation prescribing the licensing of all itinerant hucksters, effective Jan. 1st, providing that no one shall be debarred from selling his own produce. The ordinance was adopted.

Alderman Wood reported that the cap pistol ordinance was being abused and that the weapons being sold are such as carry lynamite caps. Alderman Northrop said the dealers, who had recently secured an amendment of the ordinance had acted in bad faith and he was in favor of reenacting the law forbidding all classes of pistols to be sold. The Mayor was instructed to notify the dealers and warn them of the consequences of further sale.

Alderman King referred to the dangers of the Castle Haynes county road crossing at Ninth and Taylor streets and upon motion the matter was referred to the Ordinance Committee with instruction to draft an ordinance requiring all proper safeguards to travel.

Members of the Front Street Advent Church petitioned the Board for a light in front of their house of worship. Referred to Light Committee with power to act.

The Superintendent of Health's communication in regard to keeping hogs in city limits was referred to the Ordinance Committee. Mr. King and Mr. Karr spoke on the question.

A number of applications for liquor license renewals were referred to the Special Committee.

Various communications from the Board of Audit and Finance were read for information.

Alderman Northrop made a motion that all applications for liquor license be required to be in the hands of the committee not later than December 15th.

Alderman Wood called attention to the indiscriminate selling on Sunday from candy stores. The Mayor stated he would take the matter up with the Chief of Police.

Reports of Departments.

The usual monthly reports of departments were submitted and placed on file. The superintendent of health reported 53 deaths during November, 20 white and 33 colored; 48 births, 14 white and 34 colored. The health inspectors made 4,258 inspections, issued 550 lime and acid orders and did 9 fumigations. The dairy inspector made 37 inspections of dairies and dairy farms. The general sanitary condition of the city was reported good.

The chief of police reported 107 arrests during the month, 32 defendants being white and 75 colored. Eight went to the county farm for 240 days; five to the roads for 150 days and 9 to the Superior Court under bonds of $375. Costs from the Mayor's court amounted to $80.90 and fines amounting to $96.40 were paid over into the school fund.

The City Clerk and Treasurer reported $25,315.87 balance from last month and collections for the month as follows: Merchants' license, $1,503.93; bar rooms, $3,290; market rents $97; Mayor's court $80.90; miscellaneous $11.35; real and personal tax, $13,459.19; back taxes $227.37; dray badges, $18.70; costs on back taxes, $25.06; -Total receipts, $18,715.50. Total including balance, $44,-029.37. The disbursements for the month were $35,237.70, leaving a balance of $8,791.67 on hand December 1st, of which $5,971.88 was deposited with the Murchison National Bank and $2,819.79 was in cash and cash items.

The Chief of the Fire Alarms reported 12 alarms during the month and fire losses not exceeding $1,000.

Reports That He Was Robbed.

George Fields, a respectable colored man of this city, has reported to the police that he was knocked down and robbed of $57 in cash near Front and Hanover streets Saturday afternoon, the money representing an amount he had received on a check which his employer had given him to be cashed. He has a wound in his head and reports that he was robbed by Paul Davis and Jim McGhee, who saw him when he got the money and followed him up until a suitable location was found for robbing him. The police are endeavoring to arrest the two colored men described by Fields.

Lee, the Hypnotist.

Prof. Lee, whose marvelous feats in hypnotism created such a furore in this city several years ago, opened an engagement of a week at the Academy of Music last night and gave a large audience-an evening of splendid entertainment. Just before the close of the performance one of his subjects, an attendant, was placed in a hypnotic sleep and removed to the show window of Plummer's, on North Front street, where he will remain on exhibition all of today and perhaps longer. Seats for the evening performance are now on sale at Plummers.

W. B. Thompson was yesterday elected President of the New Orleans Cotton Exchange. He succeeds William Mason Smith.

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AUCTION SALE of milch cows from Wrightsville Dairy; will be sold at public auction on Saturday, December 7th, at 10 o'clock at the city pound, corner of Fourth and Princess streets, about 15 or 20 milch and other cattle. Sale positive. Bloom Bros. de 3 4t*

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FOR SALE—1907 Model Maxwell runabout, with attachable tonneau, top and storm front. Nice family car. Present owner desires larger car. In perfect condition with new tires. Will exchange for cash or real estate. A fine bargain. Apply Platt & Co., automobile dealers. de 1-1w

ST. JAMES PARISH Branch of the Auxiliary to the Board of Missions will conduct a sale of infants' wear and home-made candies on Tuesday, Nov. 3rd, at St. James' Parish House. Everything pretty and dainty that a baby can wear will be in evidence, and the ladies hope to have a large attendance. Hours 3 to 6 P. M. de 1-2t

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SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7TH is the beginning of another series in the Hanover Building and Loan Association. You can secure stock now. Books open at No. 207 Princess street. Take a few shares and you will never regret it. John J. Fowler, president; J. W. Yates, vice president; H. F. Wilder, secretary and treasurer. no 24 til de 7

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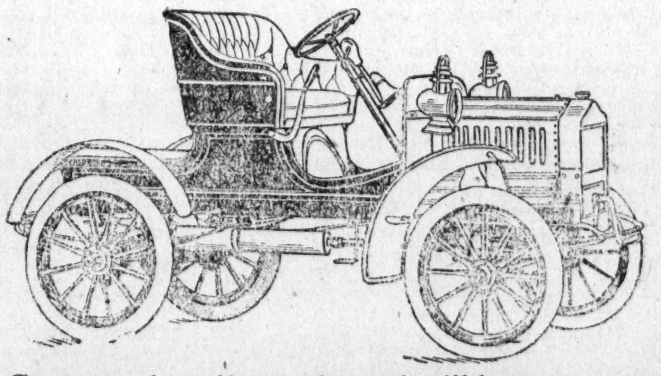

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE

—Salisbury, N. C., Dec. 1.—Miss Julia Roueche, one of Salisbury's loveliest young women, is in a desperate condition at the home of her father, Captain Peter D. Roueche, in North Main street. She has been failing for months and no hope is entertained.

—Mount Airy, Dec. 1.—Thomas Edmonds, of Siloam, sold on the floor of one of the tobacco warehouses here last week a load of tobacco for $166.66. This was the product of one acre. From this it seems that it still pays to raise the weed when one gives it proper attention.

—Raleigh News and Observer: An independent electric plant for making electric lights and heating flat irons is to be installed by the Fayetteville Steam Laundry. A crew of workmen from the Raleigh Construction Company will leave Raleigh Monday morning to install the plant.

—Greenville Reflector: Mecklenburg county, according to the Charlotte Observer, has had thirty-two homicides in the last three years, and not a hanging. If the ratio was a little nearer together the number of homicides might decrease. In other words if there were more hangings there would be fewer murders.

—Charlotte Daily Observer: Mr. J. H. Harrill has quit the service of the Southern as local station master and has been succeeded by Mr. D. F. O'Brien, of Belmont. Mr. Harrill has filled his position creditably and will be missed by his friends at the station where he has been for more than a year.

—High Point, Dec. 1.—Three young men who took on too much Thanksgiving and damaged the school property were relieved of about $80 altogether in the trial before Mayor Wrenn. The law is very strict on drinking on the school grounds, and especially in the building, and if the young men had not pleaded guilty it would have been harder still on them.

—Warsaw, N. C., Nov. 30.—Burglars entered the store of Mr. W. B. McGowan at Turkey, N. C., last night and blew open the safe. They secured about fifty dollars belonging to Mr. McGowan and several dollars belonging to the Southern Express Company, for which Mr. McGowan is agent They made good their escape, but an effort is being made to secure blood hounds to run them down.

—Richmond, Va., Dec. 1.—A. T. Benton, of Rocky Mount, N. C., and W. H. Collins, of Enfield, N. C., guests at Murphy's Hotel, were robbed of their wearing apparel, grips and other traveling equipage while they were asleep in their rooms last Saturday night. The thefts are supposed to have been committed by a professional hotel theif. The midnight depredator made his escape, leaving no clue by which he may be traced. The loss of the two men will approximite $200. The doors to their apartments had been locked on the inside, but the thief managed to effect an entrance without doing damage to the house or making a noise. The detectives have been put on the case.

—Asheville, Dec. 1.—The report of Census Enumerator J. W. Goodwin, shows that there are in Asheville 5,804 children of school age. Of this number there are in the public schools 3,103, an increase of 500 over last year. It is estimated that there are in attendance on private schools approximately 500, leaving more than 2,000 children of school age not in school. There are 102 "illiterate" children in Asheville—that is, children between the ages of 10 and 21 who cannot read or write. The compulsory school law is now in force here and the "truant officers" are exerting their best efforts towards enforcing the law and compelling parents to keep their children in school.

—Newbern Sun: The sad intelligence of the drowning in Pamlico Sound of Captain William B. Lupton reached this city today. No particulars can be obtained, as he was alone when he left Vandemere for Harbor Island, N. C., on last Sunday morning. Later in the week his vessel was found which had been capsized near Swann Point and after many hours dilligent search his body was recovered from the waves. He leaves two brothers and three sisters, Captain E. W. Lupton, of this city; Mrs. Charlotte Styron and Mrs. H. K. Styron, also residing here, and Mrs. Brittania Potter, of Vandemere, and Captain J. A. Lupton, of Lupton, togather with a host of friends who mourn his death.

—Maxton Scottish Chief: We have noticed from itme to time in our exchanges complimentary notices of our countyman, Calanel E. F. MacRae, in connection with his alleged candidacy for Commissioner of Agriculture. We now give evidence of his fitness for that position whether he aspires to it or not. He planted on "poor sand hill land," 14 pounds of cotton seed, from which he has already gathered 1,800 pounds of seed cotton. Colonel MacRae is not only familiar with the principles of the craft, but also gives practical evidence that intelligent tickling of the soil will cause mother earth to laugh and fill the barns and warehouses with that which brings a smile to human lips. While we do not nominate him, we are free to say that if the people of the State want a progressive man who spreads optimism by his presence, they will do well to cast their net in Robeson waters.

An Inexperienced Housewife.

finds cooking a delightful task with a White House Cook Book to guide her. All the recipes included in this book have undergone a thorough and practical test, they are not experiments. The Philadelphia Press is making the unheard of liberal offer of this cook book and the Daily edition of their paper, one year, for only $3.50. This is practically the price of the paper or book alone. Before the offer is withdrawn you should place your order.

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$3.50 Shoes in Vici Blu. and Bal., Lace and Cong.....$2.95

$3.00 Shoes in Box Calf and Vici, Plain Lace and Cong.....$2.65

Boys' Shoes

$3.50 Shoes, Pat. Leather Blucher and Button $2.75

$3.00 Shoes Gunmetal, Box Calf and Vici Handsewed.....$2.65

$2.00 Shoes All Solid School Shoes for Boys $1.75

$1.75 Shoes All Solid School Shoes for Boys $1.50

$1.50 Shoes All Solid School Shoes for Boys $1.35

Ladies' Shoes

$4.00 Shoes Pat. Kid, Cloth Top, Lace $3.15

$3.50 Shoes, Pat. Kid, Lace and Button, Latest Styles.....$2.95

$3.00 Shoes, Patent and Plain, Lace and Button, all Styles.....$2.65

$2.00 Shoes All Styles, in several Styles....$1.75

Also some big bargains in Ladies Oxfords for those who can get a fit.

Large Misses' Shoes

$3.00 Shoes, Pat. Kid, Gunmetal in Blucher and Button.....2.65

2.50 Shoes, Pat. Leather and Gunmetal and Vici, Blucher and Button.....$1.95

$2.00 Shoes Gunmetal and Vici Blucher, all Solid.....$1.65

$1.75 Shoes All Solid in Blucher and Lace ..$1.50

$1.50 Shoes All Solid in Blucher and Lace....$1.25

The above are only a few of the many bargains we have to offer you. Wise heads will take advantage of this money-saving sale. Careless buyers will wish they had later. Narrow feet will find a haven of rest in some of the above bargains. Come early before your fit is gone. These prices strictly cash. See Dispatch for other bargains.

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109 MARKET STREET

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NOTICE.

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NORTHBOUND.

	No. 48.	No. 42.
Lv. Wilmington	9.40 am	7.00 pm
Ar. Goldsboro	12:50 pm	9:55 pm
Ar. Rocky Mount	3:55 pm	11:40 pm
Ar. Weldon	4:55 pm	3:42 am
Ar. Norfolk	8:30 pm	
Ar. Wilson	1:58 pm	10:52 pm
Ar. Petersburg	7:05 pm	5:38 am
Ar. Richmond	8:00 pm	6:25 am
Ar. Washington	11:50 pm	10:05 am
Ar. Baltimore	1:43 am	11:20 am
Ar. Philadelphia	4:25 am	1:41 pm
Ar. New York	7:23 am	4:15 pm

SOUTHBOUND.

	No. 41.	No. 49.
Lv. New York	9:25 am	9:25 pm
Ar. Philadelphia	11:55 am	12:15 am
Ar. Baltimore	2:15 pm	2:46 am
Ar Washington	3:45 pm	4:20 am
Lv. Norfolk		8:30 am
Lv. Richmond	7:25 pm	8:15 am
Ar. Petersburg	8:05 pm	9:03 am
Ar. Weldon	9:59 pm	11:28 am
Ar. Rocky Mount	11:03 pm	12:55 pm
Ar. Wilson	11:50 pm	1:59 pm
Ar. Goldsboro	6.15 am	3.12 pm
Ar. Wilmington	9.35 am	6.10 pm

BETWEEN ILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH.

SOUTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Wil't'n	5:15 am	3:35 pm	7:00 pm
Ar. Flor.	9:05 am	7:30 pm	4:30 am
Ar. Col'bia	12:25 pm	11:10 pm	am
Ar. Ch'st'n	1:10 pm	11:37 pm	7:30 am
Ar. Sav'n'	6:55 pm	2:45 am	9:54 am
Ar. J'k'ville		9:00 am	2:20 pm
Ar. Tampa		7:15 pm	11:00 pm

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Tampa	9:00 pm	10:20 am
Lv. Jacksonville	9:30 am	7:35 pm
Ar. Savannah	1:41 pm	11:59 am
Lv. Charleston	6:12 pm	5:20 am
Lv. Columbia	4:30 pm	6:00 am
Ar. Florence	7:34 pm	8:55 am
Ar. Wilmington	1:10 am	1:20 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

	Westbound. Daily.	Eastbound Daily.
Lv. Wilmington	8:40 am	Ar. 8:15 pm
Lv. Fayetteville	12:10 pm	Ar. 4:55 pm
Ar. Sanford	1:40 pm	Lv. 3:40 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEW BERN.

DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY.

	Northbound.	Southbound.
Lv. Wilmington	3:20 pm	1:00 pm
Ar. Newbern	7:00 pm	Lv. 9:25 am

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No 44 at 1:25 A. M. from Charlotte, Hamlet and local Stations, connecting at Hamlet with No. 41 from Norfolk and Raleigh.

No. 40 arrives 2:35 P. M. from Charlotte, connecting at Hamlet with No 66 from Jacksonville, No. 38 from Birmingham and Atlanta, No. 33 from Norfolk and Raleigh and No. 81 from New York and Richmond.

Trains Leave Wilmington as Follows

	No. 45	No. 38
Lv. Wilm't'n	4:00 A. M.	4:00 P. M.
Ar Lumb't'n	6:35 A. M.	6:56 P. M.
Ar Maxton	7:25 A. M.	7:55 P. M.
Ar. Hamlet	8:25 A. M.	8:50 P. M.
Lv. Hamlet	8:45 A. M.	9:15 P. M.
Ar. Monroe	10:50 A. M.	11:15 P. M.
Ar. Ch'lotte	11:45 A. M.	12:15 A. M.

No. 45 connects at Hamlet with No 66 for Raleigh and Richmond and points north, and No. 38 for Raleigh and Portsmouth-Norfolk. At Monroe with No. 53 for Atlanta, at Charlotte for Western Carolina Points.

No. 39 connects at Hamlet with No 41 for Atlanta, Birmingham and Charlotte, with No. 84 for Washington and New York, No. 32 for Portsmouth Norfolk and No. 42 for Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville.

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300 boxes Crackers, all kinds—
100 barrels Georgia Cane Syrup—
3,000 cases Canned Goods—
2,000 kegs Nails—
10,000 bags Salt, coarse and fine—
600 sacks of Rice—
400 sacks Gallego Meal—
300 cases Salmon—
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119 Market.
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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Having this day qualified as Administrator of the estate of George W. Burton, deceased, this is to notify all persons indebted to his estate to make immediate payment to me, and all persons to whom he was indebted to present their claims to me properly proven on or before the 30th day of October, 1908, or this notice will be plead in bar of recovery.

This the 28th day of October, 1907.

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COMMERCIAL

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, Dec. 2.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market, quiet 44 1-2.

ROSIN—Market, quiet $2.60.

TAR—Market, nothing doing.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market firm $2.00 per barrel for hard, $3.00 for dip and $3.00 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine firm 65 1-2; rosin firm steady $2.60; tar quiet $1.80; crude turpentine, $3.35, $4.50; $4.50.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine 21
Rosin 160
Tar 104
Crude Turpentine 42

Receipts same day last year, 37 casks spirits turpentine; 360 barrels rosin; 128 barrels tar; 96 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Steady at 11 cents for middling.

Same day last year—Firm at 10 5-8 cents for middling.

Receipts—3,514 bales, same day last year 2,378 bales.

PRODUCE MARKET.

PEANUTS—North Carolina Prime $1.10; extra prime, $1.12 1-2; fancy, $1.15 per bushel of 28 pounds; Virginia—No. 1 70c; fancy 72 1-2@75; Spanish, $1.00@1.05.

CORN—Firm, 80@82 1-2 per bushel for white; 78@80 for mixed.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams, 17c per pound; shoulders 12 1-2@13; sides dull, 12 1-2@13c.

EGGS—Dull at 25c. per dozen.

CHICKENS—Dull at 15@30c. for large springs; growns, firm, 30@35c.

BEESWAX—Firm at 25@26c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2@5c. per pound.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2 to 3 1-2 per pound on foot.

HIDES—Dry flint, 14 to 15c; green 7 1-2c per pound.

PORK—Firm at 7@10c. per pound.

TURKEYS—Firm at 15c on foot; 18@20c. dressed.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 65@70c per bushel.

CHEESE—Firm, 60@70c per head.

COW PEAS — $1.40@$1.50 per bushel; white peas, $2.50 to $2.75 per bushel.

WOOL—Firm at 23@24c per pound.

THE COTTON MARKET

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Dec. 2.—The cotton market was irregular during today's session with a wide range between the highest and lowest prices and trading active. The close was steady at a net decline of 2 to 8 points and sales were estimated at 400,000.

The market opened steady at a decline of 8 to 11 points and during the early session increased the loss to a matter of 19 points on the active months as a result of realizing or liquidation by recent buyers and bearish pressure which was encouraged by lower Liverpool cables than expected, more liberal estimates of the crop and Southern selling. At the decline offerings became less aggressive and during the early afternoon the market had a very sharp advance on a renewal of Wall street bull support and covering which was believed to be for the account of one of the largest short interests. After selling about 2 to 8 points net higher with January relatively strong the market eased off slightly at the close under realizing. A prominent Southern authority estimates the crop at 11,625,000 bales exclusive of linters and this estimate seemed bearish after the very low figures circulating toward the end of last week. Another factor in the early decline was a statement credited to the Secretary of Agriculture to the effect that a crop perceptibly larger than the average of the past five years was expected. Reports that some of the Eastern mills were resuming operations and of firmness on the part of Southern spot holders were among the bullish influences.

Receipts at the ports today 43,453 bales against 54,293 last week and 84,370 last year. For the week 325,000 bales against 333,320 last week and 426,870 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 7,849 bales against 21,857 last year, and at Houston 11,615 bales against 16,794 last year.

New York, Dec. 2.—Cotton: Spot steady; middling uplands 11.80; middling gulf 12.05; sales 37,600 bales.

Futures opened steady and closed steady.

Month	Open	Close.
December	11,22	11.26
January	10.80	10.88
February	10.87	10.92
March	10.93	10.95
April	10.99	10.99
May	11.01	11.04
June	11.00	11.00
July	10.93	10.99
August	10.90	10.92

PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Firm, 11 5 8; Net receipts 15,432.

New Orleans—Steady, 11 3-8; Net receipts 7,849.

Mobile—Firm, 11 3-16; Net receipts 1,363.

Savannah—Firm, 11 1-8; Net receipts 9,357.

Charleston—Firm, 10 7-8; Net receipts 802.

Wilmington—Steady, 11; Net receipts 3,514.

Norfolk—Firm, 11 1-4; Net receipts 3,315.

Baltimore—Nominal, 11 3-8; Net receipts 1,881.

New York—Steady, 11.80; Net receipts 44.

Boston—Steady, 11.80; Net receipts 1.

Philadelphia—Steady, 12.05; Net receipts 75.

Total today, at all ports, Net 43,453; Great Britain 6,082; France 8,143; Continent 57,068; Mexico 100; Stock 768,708.

Consolidated, at all ports, Net 123,865; Great Britain 39,197; France 42,095; Continent 91,403; Mexico 100.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports, Net 3,437,266; Great Britain 1,074,851; France 337,801; Continent 1,113,907; Japan 23,436; Mexico 220.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Steady, 11 1-2; Net receipts 11,615.

Augusta—Steady, 11 7-16; Net receipts 13,644.

Memphis—Steady, 11 1-2; Net receipts 7,671.

St. Louis—Quiet, 11 3-8; Net receipts 708.

Cincinnati—Net receipts 606.

Louisville—Firm, 11 1-4.

Little Rock—Steady, 11; Net receipts 2,423.

Total today—Net receipts 24,207; Gross receipts 29,803; Shipments 23,964; Sales 5,066; Stock 251,686.

LIVERPOOL MARKET.

(By Cable to The Morning Star.)

Liverpool, Dec. 2.—Spot cotton in increased demand. American middling fair, 6.77; good middling, 6.41; middling, 6.19; low middling, 5.87; good ordinary, 5.43; ordinary, 4.83.

The sales of the day were 12,000 bales of which 1,000 were for speculation and export and included 11,600 American. Receipts were 10,000 bales including 6,500 American.

Futures opened barely steady and closed steady. American middling G. O. C.: December 5.83 1-2; December and January 5.83 1-2; January and February 5.86 1-2; February and March 5.87 1-2; March and April 5.88; April and May 5.88; May and June 5.89; June and July 5.89; July and August 5.87; August and September 5.78 1-2.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Dec. 2.—The type of the drygoods market shows steady improvement. Bills are again being paid in New York exchange and collections are better. The inquiry for goods shows a silght increase but the volume of new business passing is light. Raw silk is lower and manufacturers are not buying. The jobbing trade is beginning to feel the effects of colder weather and the close approach of the holiday trade.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, Dec. 2.—The price movements of stocks underwent some violent mutilations today and the course of the market gave abundant evidence of the revival of something like animation in the speculation. The supposition of the re-entry into active participation in the speculative of some of the professional operators of large calibre was corroborated by the appearance of the trading and the signs of boldnes and resourcefulness with which it was conducted.

The market was plainly highly speculative in character. The reaction in the early dealings served to shake out the weak following of the bull leadership and to encourage renewed short selling by the bears. While prices were declining in the morning, assertions were current that the market was discounting an exepcted bad influence on prices from the tenor of the Presidential message. It was argued also that the pace set in the recovery last week had become far too rapid and the bankers and capitalists of power and influence were frowning upon the impetuosity of the movement. Free selling for London account was a factor in the early reaction, foreigners taking advantage of the rapid advance in prices to take quick speculative profits. The stiffness of the money market with the continuance of the December settlements was another bridling influence.

Bonds were irregular in sympathy with stocks, but were decidedly more active and showed a large absorption. Total sales par value $5,346,000. United States 2s advanced 1-2 and the 3s 1-4 per cent., in the bid price. Total sales today 352,400 shares.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Dec. 2.—Money on call firm, 5 to 13 per cent., ruling rate 12 per cent., closed offered at 4 per cent., time loans dull and easy, sixty days, 10 per cent., and ninety days, 8 to 10 per cent., six months 8 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 8 to 10 per cent. Sterling exchange easy, closing firmer with actual business in bankers bills at 4.8625 to 4.8635, for demand and at 4.80 for sixty day bills. Commercial bills 4.7975. Bar silver 57 3-4. Mexican dollars 45 1-2.

New York Bonds.

U. S. refunding reg	103 1-2
U. S. refunding 2s cou	104
U. S. 3s reg	100 1-2
U. S. 3s cou	100 1-2
U. S. new 4s reg	117
U. S. new 4s cou	117
American Tobacco Co 4s	58 3-4
American Tobacco Co 6s	92 1-2
Atlantic Coast Line 4s	84 1-2
Baltimore & Ohio 4s	95
L. & N. Unified 4s	93
Seaboard Air Line 4s	39
Southern Railway	94
U. S. Steel 5s	84 7-8

Closing Stock List.

Amalgamated Copper	51 7-8
American Car & Foundry	28 3-4
Amr. Car & Foundry pfd	85 1-2
American Cotton Oil Co	28
American Cotton Oil Co pfd	70@80
American Locomotive	37 1-4
American Locomotive pfd	86@90
American Smelting & Ref	95 1-4
American Smelting & Ref pfd	90 1-2
American Sugar Refining	107 3-4
American Tobacco pfd cert	67
Atchison	73
Atchison pfd	82
Atlantic Coast Line	67 1-2@70 1-2
Baltimore & Ohio	83
Baltimore & Ohio pfd	74
Chesapeake & Ohio	28 1-4
Kansas City Southern	24 1-4
Kansas City Southern pfd	52
L. & N.	94 1-2
New York Central	97
Norfolk & Western	63
Norfolk & Western pfd	63 1-2@68
Pennsylvania	112
People's Gas	77 1-2
Reading	93 3-8
Reading 1st pfd	74@80
Reading 2nd pfd	71@74
Rock Island Co	14 3-4
Rock Island Co pfd	31 1-2
Southern Pacific	73 5-8
Southern Pacific pfd	107 1-2
Southern Railway	13 1-8
Southern Railway pfd	37 1-2@46
Tenn., Coal & Iron	95
U. S. Steel	26 7-8
U. S. Steel pfd	87 3-4
Va.-Car. Chemical	16 1-2@19
Va-Car. Chemical pfd	85@91
Seaboard Air Line	
Seaboard Air Line pfd	
Standard Oil	420
Western Union	57 3-4@60

NEW ORLEANS RESUMES.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New Orleans, Dec. 2.—For the first time since October 25th trading in all bonds today was permitted on the New Orleans Stock Exchange and this afternoon, New Orleans, Birmingham, Nashville, Little Rock and Beaumont, Texas, street railway bonds were quoted from one to three points higher than the closing bids October 25th.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, Dec. 2.—Flour steady with a slightly better demand.

Rye Flour—Steady.

Buckwheat—Steady.

Corn Meal—Steady.

Wheat—Spot, easy; No. 2, 1.02 3-8 elevator. Options 1 1-4c net decline; December 1.03 3-8; May 1.09 7-8.

Corn—Spot firm; No. 2, 68 elevator; Options 1 1-4c net higher. December 67 3-4; May 64 7-8.

Oats—Spot firm: mixed 52 1-2.

Lard—Steady.

Pork—Steady.

Tallow—Steady.

Rice—Quiet.

Molasses—Steady.

Sugar—Raw, quiet; fair refining 3.15; centrifugal 96 test 3.62 1-2; molasses sugar 3.85. Refined, quiet: No. 6, 4.35; No. 7, 4.30; No. 8, 8.25; No. 9, 4.20; No. 10, 4.10; No. 11, 4.05; No. 12, 4.00; No. 13, 3.95; No. 14, 3.90; confectioners A, 4.55; mould A, 5.10; cut loaf 5.55; crushed 3.45; powdered 4.85; granulated 4.75; cubes 5.00.

All grades of refined sugar were reduced five cents a hundred pounds today.

Coffee—Spot, quiet; No. 7, Rio 7 5-8; Santos 4 7-8; mild coffee, quiet; Cordova 9 1-2 to 13 1-4. Futures steady at a net advance of 5 to 10 points.

Butter—Steady, creamery specials 28 1-2; thirds to firsts 22 to 27; held, seconds to specials 23 to 27; state dairy common to finest 21 to 27; imitation creamery firsts 22 to 23; process common to specials 16 to 23 1-2.

Cheese—Quiet; full cream, small and large, colored and white 9 to 15 1-4; skims 10 to 11.

Eggs—Firm, nearby selected 45 to 50; good to choice 38 to 43; brown and mixed fancy selected 36 to 40; average 34 to 36; first to extra first 29 to 33; western and Southern firsts 30 to 31; seconds 26 to 29.

Cotton seed oil was lower with a light trade in futures. Prime crude 26 to 26 1-2; prime summer yellow 35 to 35 1-2; off summer yellow 33 to 34 3-4; good off summer yellow 33 3-4 to 34 3-4; prime white 41 to 42; prime winter yellow 41 to 42.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Chicago, Dec. 2.—A slack export demand a liberal increase in the supply had a weakening effect today on the local wheat market, the May delivery at the close showing a net loss of 1 1-8 to 1 1-4c. Corn was a shade lower and oats were a shade higher. Provisions were 2 1-2 to 17 1-2 higher.

Leading futures closed as follows:

Wheat—December, 95 3-8; January, 1.02 1-2; July, 97 1-4 to 3-8.

Corn—December, 54 7-8; May, 55 7-8; July, 55 1-2.

Oats—December, 46 1-2; May 51; July, 45 7-8.

Mess pork, per barrel—January, 12.65; May, 12.97 1-2.

Lard, per 100 pounds—January, 7.77 1-2; May, 7.75.

Short ribs, per 100 pounds—January, 6.60; May, 6.92 1-2.

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour—Steady.

No. 2 spring wheat—1.06 to 1.08; No. 3, 96 to 1.01; No. 2 red 95 5-8 to 97 1-4.

No. 2 corn—59 to 59 1-4; No. 2 yellow 63 to 63 1-4.

No. 2 oats—46 1-2; No. 3 white 45 to 51.

No. 2 rye— 56.

Short Ribs, sides (loose)—6.50 to 7.50.

Mess Pork, per bbl.—11.62 1-2 to 11.75.

Lard, per 100 lbs.—8.00.

Short Clear Sides (boxed)—7.00 to 7.25.

Whiskey, basis high wines—1.35.

NAVAL STORES.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Dec. 2.—Rosin steady; turpentine quiet at 49.

Savannah, Dec. 2.—Spirits turpentine, steady 45 3-4; sales 451; receipts 681; shipments, 411.

Rosin firm; sales 2,111; receipts, 2,376; shipments, 6,523; stock, 115,111; Quote: A B C D, 2.85; E, 2.85; F, 2.90; to 2.95; G, 2.95 to 2.97 1-2; H, 3.20; I, 3.75; K, 4.80; M, 5.30; N, 6.10; W G, 6.40; W W, 6.70.

Charleston, Dec. 2.—Turpentine and rosin, nothing doing.

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Exports—Foreign.

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A. & Y. Railroad—327 bales cotton, 4 casks spirits turpentine, 119 barrels rosin, 15 barrels tar.

W. & N. Railroad—93 bales cotton, Str. Whitlock—1 bale cotton, 17 casks spirits turpentine, 37 barrels rosin, 21 barrels tar.

Str. Lyon—79 bales cotton, 41 barrels tar.

Total—3,514 bales cotton, 21 casks spirits turpentine, 160 barrels rosin, 104 barrels tar, 42 barrels crude turpentine.

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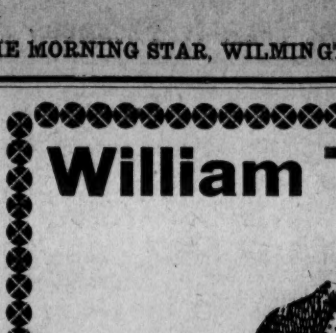

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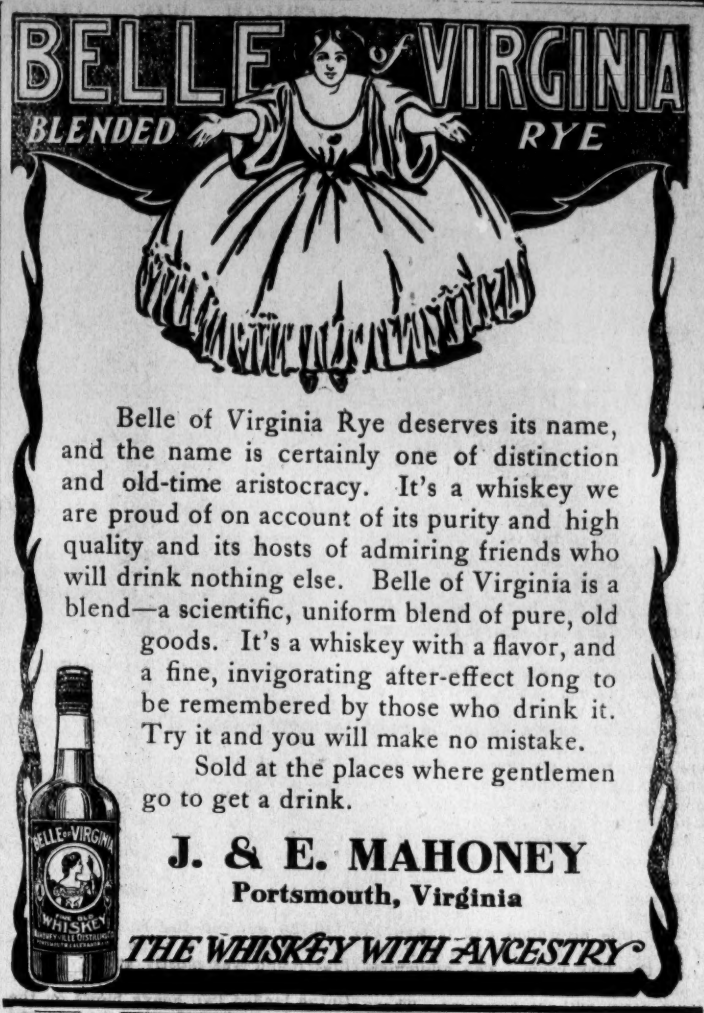

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BRADLEY CASE IN JURYS HANDS

After Deliberating Over Five Hours And A Half Could Not Agree.

AND WERE LOCKED UP

Her Attorneys Plead for Prisoner's Discharge on Ground of Insanity. New Point Made by Prosecution.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, Dec. 2.—After deliberating for five hours and forty-three minutes, the jury in the case of Mrs. Annie M. Bradley, charged with the murder of former United States Senator Arthur M. Brown, of Utah, failed to reach an agreement and were ordered locked up for the night.

It was 10 o'clock when the court crier announced that they woud be unable to reach an agreement tonight and that the court would convene tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. Justice Stafford who went home shortly after 6 o'clock, received word by telephone of the failure to reach a verdict, and thereupon ordered the jurymen locked up for the night.

The case went to the jury at 4:17 o'clock this afternoon and it was 10 o'clock before any word was heard from the jury room. The announcement was received by those in the court room without comment. There were forty or fifty people present at the time, the majority being women.

Mrs. Bradley spent the time, while the jury was deliberating in an anteroom. Her son Arthur was with her. Those who saw her said she bore up under the ordeal with remarkable fortitude and appeared to be cheerful. Mrs. Bradley was taken back to jail for the night.

Throughout the earlier part of the day, Attorneys Powers and Hoover, with recital of the episodes that led to the tragedy and pleading insanity of the defendant at the time she shot Brown in a hotel here on December 8, argued for the defense and when court convened after recess District Attorney Baker, attacking the theory of insanity and arraigning the defendant in scathing language, made the closing address. A new point brought out in the argument bore on Mrs. Bradley's intentions when she started on the trip from Salt Lake to Ogden en route to Los Angeles. The government contended that the fact that on her arrival here she called at a hotel for her mail indicated that when she left Salt Lake the last time which was the projected Los Angeles trip, she really proposed coming here to see Brown. The court permitted the court to refute this.

Judge Stafford occupied 52 minutes in charging the jury.

The charge among other things set forth that a person is mentally responsible in law when he is capable of understanding the physical nature of his act (as for instance the defendant if found guilty must have been capable of understanding she was shooting Brown) of understanding whether the act is right or wrong and must be capable of controlling his action and of choosing the right and refraining from the wrong. Mental incapacity must be the result of mental disease. The law distinguishes sharply between disease and mere passion.

"If one," said the court, "Is blinded by rage, jealousy or revenge or any other passion so he (or she) cannot understand what he is doing, or that it is wrong or cannot resist his impulse to gratify his passion, it may reduce the grade of his offense, but does not constitute insanity. The theory of emotional insanity or irresistible impulse is utterly rejected by the law of this jurisdiction. If there is a reasonable doubt about the defendant's responsibility there is reasonable doubt about her guilt and the law declares that she shall be acquitted."

WANTS CONGRESS TO ACT

Federal Interference With State Court Matters Advised Against.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., Dec. 2.—Governor Glenn tonight forwarded to the North Carolina Senators and Representatives a striking letter in which he declares the conflict which arose during the past Summer between the Federal courts and the State courts in testing the constitutionality of the North Carolina legislative act, reducing passenger rates, warns all thinking persons that such conflicts may eventually result in serious trouble and should be averted by suitable legislation.

He calls on North Carolina Congressmen to direct the attention of Congress to the dangers from such conflicts that an act may be passed forbidding Federal judges needlessly interfering with State courts in administering criminal laws. A statute, he says, can be enacted forbidding Federal courts from, by injunction or habeas corpus proceedings, in any way interfering with State courts in enforcing its laws and such prohibition should continue until the State courts have first passed on the constitutionality of its own acts; then pass it by a writ or error, if either party desires to the United States Supreme Court.

Order is issued by Governor Glenn for the execution of Frazier Jones, colored, at Greensboro January 23 for wife murder.

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AMERICAN WINS FIGHT

Tommy Burns Easily Knocked Out Gunner Moir in the Tenth Round. Defeated Man Literally Cut to Pieces.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

London, Dec. 2.—Tommy Burns, of America, knocked out Gunner Moir, of England, in the tenth round before the National Sporting Club here tonight. Englishmen never had great hopes of the ability of their representative to gain their lost honors in the boxing arena and in a somewhat unexciting contest the American champion had a comparatively easy task in disposing of Moir's pretensions and securing for himself the title of heavy weight champion of the world.

After the fifth round Burns' victory was certain and in the tenth when the gunner failed to rise to the call of time, and was literally cut to pieces Burns left the ring with scarcely a mark.

Moir owes his right to participate in championship matches more to influence than to merit and his defeat, therefore, was not a matter of general surprise.

Burns proved himself superior in every detail. He displayed greater science and infinitely better generalship and his blows were delivered with much more power than were those of the Englishman. It was an easy victory for the American, which, from the outset, appeared almost a foregone conclusion.

Burns entered the ring a favorite, at odds of 7 to 4. The work in the first round was mostly at long range, the fighters sparring warily. Finally Burns landed two heavy blows on the gunner's neck and ear the second sending him staggering to the ropes, while the American himself escaped without punishment avoiding Moir's rushes cleverly. The pace increased in the second round, the men getting into close quarters where Burns showed his superiority and did a lot of damage on Moir's body. He received a nasty jolt under the chin, however, which brought him up but he soon resumed the in-fighting. Moir clinched fiercely and was cautioned.

They fought at long range again in the third round, Burns being too clever for his adversary who began to show signs of the punishment he had received. In the fourth Burns took a breather and allowed Moir to have just a shade the better of the light round.

Burns came back again hard in the fifth, forcing the fight from the sound of the bell. He landed the right on the jaw and a long left swing cut Moir severely over the eye.

The sixth round was all in favor of the American, whose foot work completely baffled his opponent. Moir became very wild in his attempts to get in his right. In the seventh Burns sent home a terrific swing which made an ugly gash in the gunner's cheek. They came to close quarters, the Englishman clinching and thus avoiding the full force of two well meant rights. Moir looked like a beaten man.

In the eighth, however, he came back gamely and with the evident intention of trying to stand off the American, but he was fought all over the ring and badly punished. Burns set upon him unmercifully in the following round, administering terrific punishment.

Burns came quickly to the center of the ring in the tenth and forced matters from the start. He sent the gunner to the floor with a short right arm jolt. Moir rose, only to be floored again from a hard left on the jaw. He struggled to his feet, but was an easy victim for another cross on the jaw and going down, was unable to respond to the call of time.

A tremendous crowd outside the National Sporting Club awaiting the result and the announcement of Burns' easy victory caused the greatest excitement.

BRYAN IN WASHINGTON

Present When The House Convened For Its Sixtieth Session.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, Dec. 2.—For over an hour today, before the House convened William Jennings Bryan was the central figure in the lobby back of the Speaker's desk. He was given cordial greeting and afterward conferred with Representative John Sharp Williams, James, of Kentucky, Barlett of Georgia, and others.

Mr. Bryan, as an ex-member of the House was entitled to the privileges of the floor. He entered the chamber at 11:45 o'clock and was given an ovation by the Democrats and the occupants of the galleries.

"When two Democrats get together you can be re-assured that the country's good is being considered." Mr. Bryan made this remark when asked the object of his visit to Washington and particularly to the capitol at this time. There was no political significance in his visit he said.

Mr. Bryan thought the American Congress consists of a finer body of men than would be found anywhere.

SKULL WAS CRUSHED.

Prominent Planter Assaulted With a Billiard Cue Will Die.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Americus, Ga., Dec. 2.—Benjamin J. Lightfoot, a prominent planter residing upon the Rylander plantation near Americus, is at death's door from blows delivered with a billiard cue by Marion Sims, another farmer, Saturday night. Lightfoot's skull was crushed and he has since been unconscious. The affray occurred at a grocery store at Desoto and resulted from a former feud.

Lightfoot cannot recover. The affair caused much excitement and many conflicting statements resulted.

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CONGRESS HAS COMMENCED WORK

Brilliant Scene in Washington When The Members Took Their Seats.

WM. J. BRYAN WAS PRESENT

Old Rules Declared by Democrats to Be Too Autocratic But Were Adopted—About 100 New Members.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Washington, Dec. 2.—A brilliant scene characterized the meeting of the sixtieth Congress today.

In the Senate and House of Representatives, there were notable gatherings in the galleries of the official society of the capital. The coming together for the first time of the men who have been elected to the Senate and the House, about 100 of whom have not before served in Congress, made the occasion one of particular interest.

The striking scenes of the day were in the House of Representatives where the formal selection of Joseph G. Cannon, to again be speaker of that body and the designation by the Democrats of Mr. John Sharp Williams as their leader, were occasions for ovations for those gentlemen.

The vast hall of the House of Representatives rang with cheers of Republicans and Democrats for their leaders, and the speaker received as warm a reception from members of the minority as he did from his own party.

In accepting the speakership Mr. Cannon said in part: "We are organizing the Sixtieth Congress, marking the One hundred and eighteenth mile stone in the history of the government by the people under the constitution. Our predecessors have left to us an example of wisdom, moderation and courage that has never failed to preserve the ideals and the interests of Republican government in many crisis, whether of peace or war, adversity or prosperity. This House is the only institution under our constitution where that will of the people may be expressed with a fairness approximating to scientific accuracy. Other departments of the government have important and lofty functions but to this House alone belongs the peculiar, the delicate and the all-surpassing function of interpretating and putting in definite form the will of the people. This duty we must perform ourselves. The principals of the past may help us to the extent of showing us the points of the compas, but beyond that we must depend on our own wisdom, our own constancy, our own industry and our own fidelity to duty."

When the adopting of rules for the government of the House during the Sixtieth Congress came up, the rules of the late Congress were opposed by John Sharp Williams and he was joined in that opposition by Democrats and by a single Republican, Mr. Cooper of Wisconsin. The old rules were declared to be too autocratic, placing too much power in the hands of the Speaker, but after a somewhat acrimonious discussion they were adopted by a party vote.

Committees were appointed by both Houses to inform the President that Congress had met and was ready to receive any message he might wish to communicate.

New Senators and Representatives were sworn in and both houses adjourned out of respect to the memory of members who have died during the recess of Congress.

The Senate convened promptly at 12 noon. After Vice President Fairbanks sounded the gavel, the proceedings were opened with prayer by the Rev. Edward Everett Hale, chaplain of the Senate.

Senator LaFollette, was the first to be recognized and presented the credentials of Senator Isaac Stephenson, of Wisconsin.

The vice president ordered that the roll of Senators-elect be called and they were sworn in by fours, being escorted to the desk by their colleagues. All of the Senators-elect were present in the chamber except Senator Bankhead, of Alabama, who is detained at his home by illness.

Eighty-five were present.

Senator Teller offered resolutions in respect to the memory of the late Senator Morgan and Pettus, of Alabama and they were adopted and the Senate adjourned until 12 o'clock tomorrow.

Promptly at 12 o'clock Clerk McDowell entered the House, accompanied by the veteran and assistant sergeant-at-arms, Colonel E. S. Pierce, bearing the mace, the emblem of order in legislative bodies. Clerk McDowell immediately declared the body duly in session. Chaplain Couden, offered prayer. The roll call showed the following results for speaker. Joseph G. Cannon 207, John Sharp Williams 154. Speaker Cannon was escorted to his chair.

In a brief speech, Representative Williams said the speakership was the second highest office in the United States. He had the honor, he said, for the third time "of not introducing but presenting to the Congress of the United States, the Hon. Joseph G. Cannon, of Illinois, as its Speaker." Speaker Cannon delivered his acceptance speech.

The oath was then administered by Representative Bingham, of Pennsylvania, "the father of the House," and in turn, the Speaker administered the oath to the members who lined up in front of his desk. The taking of the oaths proceeded without any special occurrence until Oklahoma was called. The Democrats could not restrain themselves and loudly applauded the representatives from the new State, who bowed their acknowledgement.

The first fight of the session was inaugurated by Representative Williams who protested against the adoption of a resolution making the rules of the last House the governing laws of the present. Mr. Williams declared that he thought there was entirely too much power concentrated in the hands of the Speaker. Representative Cooper, Republican of Wisconsin, expressed his approval.

Mr. Dearmond, of Missouri, in a loud tone of voice, demanded to know if a majority of the membership of the House requested the speaker to permit action upon a particular matter whether he would or would not do it. The speaker replied that the will of the majority always had been law to the speaker.

The previous question was ordered 199 to 163 whereupon Mr. Williams again forced the yeas and nays on the passage of the resolution. By a vote of 197 to 160 the resolution was adopted and the rules in the last Congress were adopted. The House agreed to meet each day at noon.

Mr. Underwood announced the deaths of Senators Morgan and Pettus and resolutions of respect to their memory was adopted. Mr. Jones, of Virginia, announced the death of Representative Slemp and Mr. Rodenberg, of Illinois, that of George W. Smith, of Illinois.

A committee of fifteen was appointed to attend the funeral of the late Mr. Smith.

The House then adjourned in respect to the memory of Senators and Representatives who had died during the recess of Congress until noon tomorrow.

ARE PROBABLY DEAD.

Little Hope for the Forty-Seven Entombed Miners at Fayette City.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Pittsburg, Dec. 2.—The fate of five American and forty-two foreign miners, while not definitely known, was pretty well established late today by the finding of the body of a mine pumper near the twenty-second entry of the Naomi mine of the United Coal Company at Fayette City, 35 miles from this city, in which an explosion occurred last night. The man had died from suffocation.

Judging from the two fatalities thus far known, both having been caused by poisonous gas fumes, it is almost certain that the forty-seven miners still entombed in the mine have succumbed to the deadly after damp. There is also a possibility that the explosion of last night occurred so close to the men that they were killed by its force or the resultant fall of tons of rock and earth.

WARM WIRELETS.

Jake Shaeffer retained his title as champion ot 18-inch balk line billiards, defeating George Sutton 500 to 486 last night in Chicago.

The private yacht Madeline, owner unreported, bound from Boston to Jacksonville, Captain H. J. Ban, is aground in Roanoke sound, in a 20-mile gale. Life savers report all well aboard, but cannot learn names of parties.

Every car except the diner in the Louisville and Nashville northbound passenger train was derailed at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon near Dyas Creek, 32 miles North of Mobile, Ala., and the three mail clerks were badly cut and bruised.

During a blinding snow storm yesterday the Canadian Pacific railway company's steamship Mount Temple bound from Antwerp to St. John, N. B., with 600 passengers struck LaHave iron bound ledges fifteen miles south of Lunenberg, N. S., and may be a total loss. The passengers are being transferred on small steamers to Bridgewater.

The supreme court of the United States yesterday decided the case of the Louisville & Nashville railroad Co. vs. Marcus K. Bitterman and others involving the right of the defendants to engage in scalping the tickets of the railroad company in favor of the company, the decision being handed down by Justice Wright. The suit was originally instituted by the railroad company in the United States circuit court for the eastern district of Louisiana.

In the case of Alex and Peter Agelesto, cotton brokers, charged with illegally securing money on false cotton warehouse receipts, the Corporation Court grand jury at Norfolk, did not act yesterday, recommending that the matter go over to the January term. Commonwealth Attorney Tilton objected in open court and asked for a special grand jury to investigate the case. This was granted by the court and the date for the investigation is set for next Monday.

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